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## **Dedication**

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**John O. Foster**

**This Book is dedicated especially to Patricia, and to the rest of the family for all their help and support.**

**John P. Choisser**

**This Book is dedicated to Coleen for her loving support during my career change.**

## Preface

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What started as a diversion has turned into a gratifying nuisance. Publishing the XT-AT Handbook and the XT Bioskit was an exercise in "Is anyone interested?" The Handbook proved there were some people out there, and the XT BiosKit indicated there were a lot of people out there. "Do you publish an AT Bios Book?" was often asked. When we at Annabooks tallied up the interest, the next move was obvious. More and more system designers are moving from 8088 based systems to 286 and 386 based systems. And the fascinating thing we heard was the variety of uses to which the PC architecture was being put...

We heard from those who are involved in automation, robotics, research, education, avionics, consumer and office products, energy management and control, and industries and applications too numerous to mention, both in the U.S. and around the world. Product volumes involved ranged from 5 and 10 per year, to thousands per month.

We even heard that because of the BiosKit, projects that were designed for 286 based systems could be changed to 8088 based systems. Being able to use the BiosKit was important enough to justify changing the product.

For all you who asked for an AT BiosKit, we are happy to present this latest volume in an exciting series which will cover a variety of topics, always in the form of a "working" book.

John O. Foster  
Hidden Meadows, California  
November 1988

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## **SECTION A**

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### **About the Bios**

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This section introduces the Bios, lists some reasons for creating your own customized Bios, explains Ownership and License information, and provides an Overview of the structure of the Bios.



## O N E

### Introduction

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Unseen and unnoticed, the Bios (Basic input/output system) of a personal computer takes control when power is switched on, setting up the hardware devices, running tests, and booting up the operating system from disk. Without a Bios the machine is an unusable, non-operating collection of hardware components. Yet the Bios is a mysterious component for the majority of users. The Bios is a collection of programs stored on a read-only memory chip and is usually considered to be part of the hardware set, but these routines are like any other software. They can be analyzed, understood, modified and re-created as desired.

#### *This Book*

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This book is a guide to analyzing and understanding what a Bios is, how it works, and how one goes about creating a Bios. The descriptions of the Bios functions are augmented with listings of the programs required to perform those functions. The auxiliary tools and utility programs which are used to create the Bios are also included with an explanation of their purpose and function.

#### *What is the Bios?*

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Bios is an acronym for Basic input/output system. It is a set of programs that reside in non-volatile memory (often called firmware; programs that are implemented in hardware memory chip(s) and are not lost when power is turned off). The Bios includes the power-on diagnostics, a boot-up program, and device drivers for the keyboard, disk, display, serial ports, printer port, and miscellaneous functions. A Bios is usually written in assembly language, but the BiosKit is done in the C language wherever possible. Some low-level operations require assembly language for memory allocation reasons and some operations are done in assembly language for efficiency. But by providing the bulk of the BiosKit in C, it is much easier to understand, modify, and maintain the code.

#### *Why do your own Bios?*

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You may want special features, such as special interface card support, SysVue capability, faster bootup, equipment status displays, and so forth. Some of these features are difficult to implement with a supplied Bios since you do not have the capability to modify it. Additionally, a standard Bios may not have the compatibility that you desire. You may also wish to upgrade your machine to newer capabilities that are included in later generations of compatible computers.

If you are a manufacturer or systems integrator, you may have found that your own Bios requires expensive long-term commitments to a Bios vendor that may not be able to respond to your needs in a timely manner. Once you have control of your Bios in your own hands, you will be able to modify and maintain your Bios at your own discretion.

If you are a manufacturer of systems for use in government or commercial applications which require delivery of source code for all software included in a system, BiosKit allows you to easily meet these requirements without cumbersome

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escrow agreements or additional payment to a Bios Supplier to obtain source code. By including BiosKit Documentation as part of your product, you may satisfy your project requirements. If your project requires special verification or certification activities, Bioskit not only gives you access to source code, it also allows you to configure it as you desire.

## **T W O**

### **Audience**

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This book is intended for various groups of people:

- \* Those who have an unsatisfied curiosity about the internal workings of their personal computer.
- \* Those who are involved in the hardware and system design details of PC's and need to understand the workings of a Bios.
- \* Those who are creating special applications of PC systems and find that the typical PC Bios may have some shortcomings or omissions.
- \* Those who just want to make their own Bios so they can enjoy the satisfaction of having done it.
- \* And especially for those people that are in more than one just one of the above groups.

## **More Notes**

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## THREE

### About the Programs

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This book and the magnetic media included with it provide you with the source code and explanations needed for you to customize your own Bios for an AT type compatible computer. The majority of the source code is in the C language with supporting routines in assembly language. C was chosen for a variety of reasons, including:

- \* It is well suited to systems level programs because it permits access to machine features.
- \* It is widely used, understood, and a de-facto standard among system level programmers.
- \* There are many publications available for reference, tutorials, as well as periodical publications for alternate information.
- \* It is supported by a variety of affordable compilers.
- \* Its architecture and structure encourage good programming practices which help to minimize the frustrating aspects of debugging and error-correction.

Because of some restrictive aspects of a Bios program, some of the programs are written in assembly language, as you might expect with systems-level C programs. This is required because:

- \* Certain locations in the completed program need to be fixed at absolute memory locations (the reset jump).
- \* Constants need to reside in read-only memory and be allocated to the code segment in fixed locations.
- \* Some operations such as block moves (used in CRT scrolling, for instance) are much faster than the C counterparts.

## **Things To Do**

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## F O U R

### Tools Required

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Building and customizing the Bios requires some tools. Knowledge is the basic tool. Then you will need the physical tools; the hardware and software described below.

#### *Knowledge Tools*

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Readers should have or be prepared to acquire some degree of skill in the following areas to comprehend and become proficient in the creation and enhancement of a Bios:

- \* operation of DOS
- \* operation of a text editor
- \* assembly language understanding
- \* understanding of the C language
- \* understanding of the AT architecture

There are many excellent publications available on these subjects in addition to the manuals that are supplied with the software tools listed below. By visiting your library and book store, and by reading computer periodicals, and especially by talking to computer-interested acquaintances, you will find ways to augment your knowledge. For those who may be apprehensive about tackling a Bios project, remember that knowledge is acquired by bits and pieces. Curiosity, patience, and a positive attitude will be your best ally.

#### *Software Tools*

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To build the Bios you will need the following tools:

- \* C Compiler
  - Recommended - Microsoft V 5.1 or later
  - Other Compilers may require some modification of the Source Code.
- \* Macro-Assembler - Microsoft V 5.1 or later
- \* Linker - Microsoft (included with MASM or Compiler)
- \* Debug program (included with MASM)
- \* A Make Utility (included with MASM or Compiler)
- \* An Archive or backup utility is also recommended.

You may chose alternate tools, but they may require some modification of the source code to build and execute successfully.

#### *Hardware Tools*

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Your development computer should be an XT/AT compatible with 640K of ram, a hard disk, and a printer. Either a color or monochrome monitor is sufficient.

To program Eproms for your computer you will need a Prom programmer. The Sunshine (brand name) programmer (approximately \$125.00) is suggested.

To erase Proms, a Walling Datarase UVProm Eraser is suggested (\$35 to \$55).

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### *Target Tools*

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The programs in this book were designed for use with an AT compatible hardware set. This means that the original AT or the truly compatible "clone/compatibles" will require little or no Bios modification to operate successfully. There are some areas of difference, however, that may affect your Bios details. Some of these are described below.

Prom/Rom chip types - Some high volume AT's use masked Rom chips for the Bios. These chips may or may not have the same electrical characteristics and pinout as the Prom chips you would normally use for your Bios. You should verify that the pinout of the original Bios chip you intend to replace is compatible with the chip you will be using. If it is not pin compatible, you may be able to replace it by using an appropriate adapter.

The next consideration is the addressing capability of the original Bios Socket(s) in your target system. Depending on the original design, the address mapping may be hard-wired or jumper (or decoding device) selectable to accommodate the Bios Proms you create. You should have the range of F0000-FFFFF available for your Bios. This will probably require two Proms, one for even bytes and one for odd bytes in your target system.

Turbo machines generally interpret a special combination of keystrokes to enter/leave the turbo mode. This decoding may be added to the keyboard handler (Bioskb.c ) in the scan code conversion section of the hardware interrupt service routine. Turbo-AT's may use one of the spare output pins of the 8042 keyboard controller chip to change the CPU clock speed. To determine if this method is used, you may manually toggle these bits using Sysvue (Port In and Out commands) to see if this scheme is used to control the Turbo switching. If you include a Turbo switching feature and subsequently have floppy disk failures, the DMA clock speed is to be suspected. Some Turbo motherboards switch the DMA clock to high speed along with the CPU clock. It may be necessary to include an "Unturbo" and "Returbo" sequence in the floppy disk module (Biosdisk.c) to insure that the DMA is operated at the slow clock speed during disk transfers. To do this, save the state of the signal used to implement the speed switch upon entry to the Disk\_io handler, and restore it to its previous condition upon exit. A Turbo machine may have a

"Turbo" mode display (typically an LED) to show when it is in turbo mode. This indicator is usually driven from the same speed switch signal that controls the clock.

One method of investigating compatibility is to attempt to run the standard version of DOS on a computer. If a given computer operates only with its customized version of DOS, some hardware incompatibility might be expected.

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*SysVue*

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Bonus - BiosKit includes the source code for SysVue, a Prom resident program that provides many of the features of disk resident Debug programs. SysVue is always available with a keystroke sequence. It is extremely handy for checking custom features of your Bios.

Once you have successfully built the standard version of the BiosKit, you will be ready to consider special versions for your particular application.

## **Things I Should Do Soon**

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## FIVE

### **Ownership, License, and Warranty**

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The following paragraphs explain the ownership (right of title) of the Source Code and of the Binary Code generated from it, the license granted to you to duplicate the object code, and the warranty of this published information. This information is important to you. Please read it carefully.

#### *Ownership of Source Code*

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#### *License to Duplicate*

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During the build/customization phases, you may program an unlimited number of Proms until you have completed the Bios. Once you place the Proms in a computer used to run programs, the Proms are included in the ten (10) quantity covered by this license to duplicate.

Any Bios built from the BiosKit must include the FOSCO copyright information included with the original source code. You may add additional information, but you may not delete any copyright information included in the standard BiosKit.

## A-5-2 Ownership, License, Warranty

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### ***DISCLAIMER AND LIMITED WARRANTY***

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## SIX

### **Overview**

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This chapter is intended to acquaint you with the major functions and parts of the Bios. To do this, we will follow the flow of the Bios from the power-on hardware reset point and summarize what happens as the computer is turned on. Descriptions of detailed operations will follow in later sections and be correlated with the Source Code Listings.

#### *Power On -*

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The 80286 processors start operation at segment:offset address FFFF:0000. This means that program execution begins at the last paragraph (16 bytes) at the top of address space. This location normally will have a far jump to a lower address where the Bios will start to initialize and check-out hardware features of the system.

#### *Diagnostics -*

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This usually starts at a label called 'reset' and includes checking of the CPU chip registers, tests and initialization of the peripheral chips, and ends up by invoking a bootstrap routine.

#### *Bootstrap -*

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The function of the bootstrap routine is to load DOS from a floppy disk. If you have a hard disk in the system, a failure to boot from a floppy is usually followed by an attempt to boot from the hard disk. If no disk is available, you may wish to default to SysVue or some other Prom resident program you may elect.

#### *Drivers -*

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The Bios contains the low-level drivers for a variety of devices. DOS normally assumes these drivers are present in the Bios and makes calls to them to perform peripheral access. The drivers correspond to the Bios Interrupts documented in various publications about PC's and DOS. To fully support DOS, these drivers must be included, and their devices initialized by the Bios.

#### *Bios Structure*

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This description of the Bios structure is intended to clarify some of the characteristics of the Bios.

The 80286 processor starts executing code (from a power-up reset) at the highest paragraph in the memory map. This is at Segment:Offset FFFF:0000. To properly respond to the hardware reset, valid executable code must be stored at this location in the Bios Prom. To insure that the instruction intended for this location is assembled and linked correctly, the final module of the Bios is manipulated in such a way that the normal linker utilities (such as Microsoft's Linker which links programs in an ascending address sequence), can achieve this result. The top module of the Bios is written in Assembly language, so that programmer control is maintained over the location of certain instructions. Additionally, the top module

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provides a place to include various table structures and assembly language subroutines, which are C functions.

From the power-on reset, a jump is executed (at FFFF:0000) to an assembly language initialization code sequence which initializes the DMA controller, the Ram Refresh, and the first 64 Kbytes of System Ram. Once this has been accomplished, the C language POD (Power On Diagnostic) module is executed. This module continues the power-up and diagnostic checks of the system, and also calls setup (initialization) routines in the various device driver modules. When the system has been completely initialized, the bootstrap function is called.

The POD process includes:

- loading the interrupt vector locations,
- initializing the display adapter,
- determining the size of the system Ram,
- testing the system Ram,
- reading the equipment configuration CMOS Ram,
- performing a checksum test on the Bios prom,
- identifying and initializing COM and LPT ports,
- calling any executable Rom option modules,
- initializing the floppy disk drive(s),
- and finally calling the bootstrap procedure.

### *Why Link is Done Twice*

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During the linking process when building the Bios, a trial link is performed. This trial link determines how far short the Bios falls of filling a complete segment (64 Kbytes). This shortfall in length is calculated, and a filler module is built which will compensate for the shortfall. The Bios is then linked again with the filler module to produce a Bios in which the required locations are fixed at the correct addresses. This file is then converted from an .EXE format file to a .BIN binary image file suitable for transfer to a Prom programmer.

### *How to develop and test a Bios*

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The simplest way, of course, is to build a Bios, program a Prom, install the Prom in the system, and see how the system runs. This method is time consuming and debugging can be difficult, particularly if the system doesn't run at all. The preferred method is to install a Static Ram Adapter Card residing above the video ram area, and away from any rom-scan devices such as EGA Video and Hard Disk Adapters that might be installed in your target system. Recommended location is segment D000. The Test Bios is then loaded into the Ram area and a Jump instruction is executed to start executing the Test Bios. The Load-and-Jump can be performed using a Debug Batch file as shown in Section F. To effectively integrate the Bios, you should have (or should add) a pushbutton reset switch to your target system. This allows you to easily reset and restart your system with its prom-based Bios if your Test Bios should lock up or run away due to modifications which you are testing.

An additional aid to testing is to add debug mode display statements to track the activity of the Bios. These may be included in your C modules by using the write\_string("text") statement. Hexadecimal byte and word values may be dumped

using the lbyte(value) and lword(value) statements. By referring to the BiosVue.c module, you may examine examples of the usage of these statements.

When you have verified the operation of your modified Bios, the debug-mode statements may be removed, and the Bios rebuilt.

#### *Driver Structure*

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By examining the structure of the Driver modules, you will see that they are essentially self-contained. They may call common assembly language functions in BiosTop.asm and common C functions in BiosMisc.c, but they seldom will call other modules except through the Interrupt structure. This helps to isolate interaction and serves to make testing easier.

Drivers have the general structure of a Setup routine followed by the Driver itself. Some drivers may also have a service routine for its associated hardware interrupt. The Setup routines are called from BiosPod to initialize the drivers during the Power-On-Diagnostics.

#### *Programming Style*

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As you work with the source code, you will begin to apply your particular style of programming to re-writes, additions, and changes. This is normal and it is a sign of your increasing understanding of the programs. Don't be afraid to analyze the program structure and experiment. There are at least as many ways to code a function as there are programmers! Since this book deals with each topic only once, we had to present each example in a particular manner. You have a different perspective and style, and you will probably see it in a slightly different manner. Remember there are many right ways to code a function. It is sometimes difficult to find one of those right ways; it is usually easier to find one of the wrong ways!

## **Things I Should Avoid Doing**

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## **SECTION B**

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### **The C Utility Programs**

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These programs are used during the building process to add the date-stamp, calculate the checksum, install the CPU type identification, and to fix some locations at absolute addresses.



## O N E

**The Biossum File**

The Biossum.c file is used during the Bios Build process to calculate the additive checksum of the Bios and to insert the checksum value into the last byte of the Bios. It looks for the first non-FF location and treats it as the start of the block. If the Bios is padded with FF's at the front of the file, the program will scan forward every 2K bytes to look for the start. This allows you to reserve space in 2 Kbyte blocks at the front for your own special programs. The Rom-Scan routine will determine where the Bios starts and scan up to that point.

```
*****
*
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: Bios checksum calculator
*
* Version: 1.00
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 1-5-89
*
* Filename: biossum.c
*
* Functional Description:
*
*   This program calculates a checksum and inserts it into the last byte location of the Bios.
*
* Arguments:
*   Filename
*
* Return:
*   None
*
* Version History:
*
*
*****
```

```
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */

unsigned numread,i;
char sum,buffer[32768];
FILE *stream;

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */

/* L O C A L   C O N S T A N T S */

/* P R O G R A M */

main(argc,argv)
int argc;
char *argv[];
{
if (argc <2)
{
  printf("Not enough parameters on command line\n");
  exit(0);
}
if ((stream = fopen(argv[1],"r+b")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for reading\n");
else
{
  sum=0;
  numread = fread((char *)buffer,sizeof(char),32768,stream);
```

## B-1-2 The Biossum File

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```
/*
** Scan for the first non -ff- cell at 2k boundaries to mark the start of the bios code.
** Reserve the prior cells for rom module integration later when customizing the bios prom
** with extensions.
*/
for (i=0;(i < numread) && (buffer[i] == 0xff); i += 2048);
/* i is advanced to beginning of actual bios code */
for (;i<numread;i++) sum += buffer[i];

numread = fread((char *)buffer,sizeof(char),32767,stream);
for (i=0;i<numread;i++) sum += buffer[i];
sum = 0 -sum;
buffer[i] = sum;
fseek(stream,-1L,SEEK_END);
fwrite(&sum,1,1,stream);
}
fclose(stream);
}
```

## T W O

### The Biosdate File

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The Biosdate.c file is the program which inserts the current date value as the date-stamp in the Bios module. This date is determined from the current date in your development machine. It will obviously affect the overall checksum of the Bios module, if you re-build on different days.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: bios date routine
*
* Version: 1.00
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 1-05-89
*
* Filename: Biosdate.c
*
* Functional Description:
*
* Insert date string into bios binary file. This program inserts the current date information
* into the date field in the Bios at location FFF5
*
*
* Arguments:
*   Filename
*
* Return:
*   Writes date field in bios.bin file
*
* Version History:
*   1-5-89 font revision
*
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */

FILE *stream;
char date_buffer[9];

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
/* P R O G R A M */

main(argc,argv)
int argc;
char *argv[];
{
    if (argc <2)
    {
        printf("Not enough parameters on command line\n");
        exit(0);
    }
    if ((stream = fopen(argv[1],"r+b")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for reading\n");
    else
    {
        fseek(stream,-11,SEEK_END); /* find date field */
        _strdate(date_buffer);
        fwrite((char *)date_buffer,sizeof(char),8,stream);
    }
    fclose(stream);
}
```

## **Things Someone Else Should Do**

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## T H R E E

**The Biostype File**

The Biostype.c file is used to insert a byte identifying the type of system in which the Bios is installed. The type identification may be used by some applications (or the Bios if so desired) to determine operational characteristics of the system hardware and/or software. This byte is located at the next- to-last location of the Bios. In an AT Bios, there is also another identification function; Interrupt 15, Function code C0, which returns system configuration parameters. This parameter block provides additional type information.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Bios type
* Version: 1.00
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 5-5-88
* Filename: biostype.c
* Functional Description:
* Insert CPU Type byte into bios binary file. This program inserts a machine identification byte
* at location FFFE in the Bios. Because of an Assembler quirk, if we try to define this in the
* Source file, the assembler increments the offset counter and believes that the segment becomes
* larger than 64K bytes, which it considers an error condition.
*
* Arguments:
* biostype filespec [type]
* where type is pc,xt,at,jr,xt640
* if type is omitted, then default is xt
*
* Return:
* Writes type byte in bios.bin file 'filespec'
*
* Version History:
*
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
FILE *stream;
char type_buffer[2];
/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
#define at 0xfc /* these are the standard defined types */
#define xt 0xfe
#define pc 0xff
#define jr 0xfd
#define xt640 0xfb
/* P R O G R A M */
main(argc,argv) /* bios.bin */
int argc;
char *argv[];
{
    char cpu_type = xt; /* default to XT type byte */
```

## B-3-2 The Biotype File

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```
if (argc <2)
{
printf("Not enough parameters on command line\n");
exit(0);
}
if (argc > 2)
{
if (strcmp(argv[2],"at") == 0) cpu_type = at;
if (strcmp(argv[2],"xt") == 0) cpu_type = xt;
if (strcmp(argv[2],"pc") == 0) cpu_type = pc;
if (strcmp(argv[2],"jr") == 0) cpu_type = jr;
if (strcmp(argv[2],"xt640") == 0) cpu_type = xt640;
}
if ((stream = fopen(argv[1],"r+b")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for reading\n");
else
{
fseek(stream,-2,SEEK_END); /* find type field */
type_buffer[0] = cpu_type;
fwrite((char *)type_buffer,sizeof(char),1,stream);
}
fclose(stream);
```

# FOUR

## The Biosgen File

The Biosgen.c file is used during the build process to sense the size of the Bios code and calculate a value which will be used to upward justify the Biostop module so that it resides in the highest portion of the Bios segment. This is required to insure that when a power-on hardware reset occurs there is an instruction present to be executed.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Bios filler generator
* Version: 2.00
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 12-01-88
* Filename: biosgen.c
* Functional Description:
*   This program reads the map file (bios.map) and calculates how far short it falls from ending at
*   the top of the segment. Then it builds a biosfill.inc file that pads out enough to complete the
*   segment (64k bytes). The .inc file is used in a second linking of the .obj files. This produces
*   a full 64k byte file with the power-on reset jumps fixed at offset FFF0 in the binary image file.
*
* Arguments:
*   biosgen bios.map biosfill.inc
*
* Return:
*   Creates a biosfill.inc file
*
* Version History: 2.00 9/12/88
*   The method of determining the file length was changed to operate with 5.1 tools. This program
*   now looks at the .MAP and searches for the ORG E000 label. If it finds the label, it looks at
*   the offset value associated with it, and calculates the fill value from that. If it does not
*   find the label, it prints an Abort Message. If the .map file shows that the Bios is too large,
*   it prints a message indicating that the Bios will not fit into the segment.
*
* Notes:
*   This file normally compiles with two Warning Messages. They may be disabled by changing the
*   message level switch in the make file. The program will execute OK even with the warnings.
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
unsigned int hval(unsigned char);

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
FILE *stream;
int radix = 10;
char first[20], second[20], third[20];
char *p;

unsigned int i;
unsigned int diff;
unsigned int find; /* find/no find flag */
unsigned int find_string;
unsigned long int numread;
unsigned char line[255], *result;

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
/* P R O G R A M */
```

## B-4-2 The Biosgen File

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```
main(argc,argv) /* sourcefile.map,destfile.inc */
int argc;
char *argv[];
{
    /* this is the label we will search for */
    char *estring = "_ORG_E000";
    /* this is where we move the offset value of the label*/
    char *vstring = "0000";
    if (argc <3)
    {
        printf("Not enough parameters on command line\n");
        exit(0);
    }
    if ((stream = fopen(argv[1],"r+b")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for reading\n");
    else
    {
        find = 0;
        /* check each line of the .map file for the wanted label*/
        do
        {
            if((result = fgets(line,255,stream)) != NULL);
            {
                /* check for the label */
                if (strstr(result,estring) != NULL)
                {
                    find_string = 0xe000;
                    strncpy(vstring,&line[6],4);
                    diff = 0;
                    for(i=0;i<4;i++)
                    {
                        diff = (diff << 4) + hval(vstring[i]);
                    }
                    find = 1;
                }
            }
        }while ((result != NULL) && (find == 0));
        fclose(stream);
        if (find == 0) /* no find */
        {
            printf("Could not find ORG_F000 label in .MAP file\n\r");
            printf("Aborting operation.\n\r");
            printf(" 1. Check command line argument specifies .MAP file\n\r");
            printf(" 2. Check .MAP file for proper labels.\n\r");
        }
        else
        {
            printf("  File size = %5u\n\r",diff+(0x10000-find_string));
            if (diff >= find_string)
            {
                printf(".EXE file is to large to process - aborting fill generation\n\r");
            }
            else
            {
                numread = find_string - diff;      /* num to write */
                printf("  Free Space = %5u\n\r",numread);
                /* now build the text line for the biosfill.inc file */
                strcpy(first,"db      ");
                strcpy(second,ultoa(numread,second,radix));
                strcpy(third," dup(0ffh)");
                strcat(first,second);
                strcat(first,third);
                if ((stream = fopen(argv[2],"w")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for writing\n");
                else
                {
                    fwrite((char *)first,sizeof(char),strlen(first),stream);
                }
                fclose(stream);
            }
        }
    }
    /* convert hex ascii to val */
    unsigned hval(unsigned char cval) {
```

```
unsigned val;
cval -= '0';
if (cval > 9) cval -= 7;
val = cval;
return(val);
}
```

## **Things I keep Forgetting**

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## **SECTION C**

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### **The Build Programs**

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These programs are used to assemble, compile and link the Bios modules. The process is automated to permit a complete build with just a few keystrokes.



# O N E

## The Make File

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The Make File is the top level file used in building a Bios. It includes all the operations needed to compile and assemble the source files, to link them into a code module, and to convert the code module into a binary image file for Prom programming. This file will also build the utility programs needed for the build process. Using the MAKE utility simplifies the operation and allows the building of the Bios with just a few keystrokes.

```
*****
# Copyright (c) 1988, 1989 FOSCO - All Rights Reserved
#
# Module Name: atbios.make
#
# Version: 1.00
#
# Author: FOSCO
#
# Date: 1-5-89
#
# Filename: at
#
# Functional Description:
#
#       This is the Make file to build the AT Bios
#       To Build the Bios, type 'make bios' <enter>
#
# Version History:
#
#
*****
```

---- inference rules - see description of MAKE utility ---

```
.asm.obj: atprfx.inc
masm $*/W1/Z1/z;
```

```
.obj.exe:
link $$;
```

```
.c.obj: atkit.h
cl /Zp1 /J /W0 /G2 /c /Zl /Zi /AS /Ox $*.c
```

----- list of files to build -----

---- These are utility routines used to build the Bios ----

```
# routine to fill up to top module
```

```
biosgen.exe: $*.c
cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
```

```
# routine to place date in binary file
```

```
biosdate.exe: $*.c
cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
```

```
# routine to place type byte in binary file
```

```
biostype.exe: $*.c
cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
```

```
# routine to checksum binary file
```

```
biossum.exe: $*.c
cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
```

```
# routine to display parenthesized text
```

```
parens.exe: $*.c
```

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```
cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
    # routine to indent according to {}

indent.exe: $*.c
    cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
        # routine to display comments

hilite.exe: $*.c
    cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
        # routine to split out even/odd bytes

splitbin.exe: $*.c
    cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
        # routine to merge in even/odd bytes (for test purposes)

mergebin.exe: $*.c
    cl /W0 /Ox /Zi $*.c /link /Co
        # binary image to Intel hexdecimal filter

bin2hex.exe: $*.asm
    masm $*;
    link $*;

#----- These are the Bios Modules -----
# routine to pad the front of the Bios

atpad.asm:
atpad.obj:
    # the data declaration module for biosvue

atdata.asm:
atdata.obj:
    # print screen driver

atprsc.obj:
    # memory size driver

atmem.obj:
    # misc drivers in 'C'

atmisc.obj:
    # bootstrap routine

atboot.obj:
    # sys vue

atvue.obj:
    # comm driver

atcomm.obj:
    # keyboard driver

atkobj:
    # floppy disk driver

atdisk.obj:
    # hard disk driver

athard.obj:
    # lpt driver

atlpt.obj:
    # crt driver
```

```

atcrt.obj:
        # timer driver

attmr.obj:
        # time of day driver

attod.obj:
        # equipment driver

atequi.obj:
        # cassette driver

atcass.obj:
        # power on diagnostics

atpod.obj:
        # virtual mode driver

atvirt.asm:
atvirt.obj:
        # absolutized high location module

attop.asm:
attop.obj:

----- This is the linking process -----
# make binary file of bios

at.bin: \
        atdisk.obj atlink    atkb.obj  atvue.obj \
        atcomm.obj atlpt.obj atcrt.obj atcut.inp \
        atpod.obj atpad.obj atdata.obj atvirt.obj \
        atboot.obj atcass.obj atequi.obj attmr.obj \
        atmisc.obj attop.obj at \
        attod.obj atrpsc.obj atmem.obj athard.obj \
        biostype.exe biosdate.exe biossum.exe biosgen.exe
copy atblank.inc atfill.inc
masm atfill;
link @atlink
biosgen at.map atfill.inc
masm atfill;
link /Co @atlink
debug <atcut.inp
biosdate at.bin
biostype at.bin at
biossum at.bin
splitbin at

```

## **Things I Forgot**

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## T W O

### The Link File

---

The Link File is an indirect file used by the linker to convert the group of bios---.obj files into an executable (.EXE) file module. The EXE module will then be converted to a binary image file for loading a prom programmer.

```
atpad+
atdata+
atpod+
atboot+
atcomm+
atkbb+
atdisk+
athard+
atlpt+
atcrt+
atequi+
atmem+
attmr+
attod+
atprsc+
atcass+
atmisc+
atvue+
atvirt+
atfill+
attop,
at,
at/m;
```

## **Things I Remember**

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## THREE

### The Cut.inp File

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The Cut.inp is used after the second link to transform the .EXE file, which is output by the linker, to a .BIN (binary image file). This type of operation is usually done by using the DOS Utility "EXE2BIN", but "EXE2BIN" cannot handle a full segment .exe file.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Cut of bios after second linking
* Version: 2.00
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 1-5-89
* Filename: atcut.inp
* Functional Description:
*      This input file is used to perform an exe -> bin load of the bios.exe file. Because it
*      is a 64K file, the traditional exe2bin program overflows. This file directs that a
*      64 Kbyte output file (bios.bin) be written. This output file will be the binary image
*      used for prom programming.
* Arguments:
* Return:
* Version History:
*****
```

```
nat.exe
l
rbx
1
rcx
0
nat.bin
w cs:0
q
```

## **Things Someone Should Tell Me**

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## **SECTION D**

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### **The ASM Programs**

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These programs are used to include assembly language functions, tables, virtual memory support, and initial start-up code for the Bios.



# O N E

## The Prfx.inc File

The Prfx.inc is the include file used for the assembly (.ASM) modules. It specifies the memory model, macro definitions, segment loading order for the linker, and required absolute offset locations for various data and code.

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```
*****
Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved

Module Name: AT Bios assembly module prefix
Version: 2.01
Author: FOSCO
Date: 01-01-89
Filename: biosprfx.inc
Functional Description:
This include file is used for the standard definitions for assembly language modules of the bios.
It is used to define the segment names, the segment loading sequence, assorted macros, and
location assignments.

Version History:
2.01 - Font revision
*****
.286p
.seq

_text    segment word public 'code'
_text    ends

_data    segment word public 'data'
_data    ends

const    segment word public 'const'
const    ends

_bss     segment word public 'bss'
_bss     ends

_fill    segment word public 'fill'
_fill    ends

_stack   segment word stack 'stack'
_stack   ends

_atext   segment word public 'acode'
_atext   ends

.model small,C

dgroup group _text,_data,const,_bss,_fill,_atext
assume cs:dgroup,ds:dgroup

.xlist

ok      equ      0
error   equ      -1

;      macros for Bios generation
delay  macro
      jmp     $+2
      jmp     $+2
endm
```

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---

```
send_eoi    macro
    push      ax
    mov       al,20h
    out      20h,al
    delay
    out      0a0h,al
    pop      ax
    endm

write_cmos   macro address,value
    push      value
    push      address
    call      outcmos
    add      sp,4
    endm

read_cmos    macro address
    push      address
    call      incmos
    add      sp,2
    endm

true     equ      -1
false    equ      0

;---- stack swappers for interrupt routines -----

int_header   macro dest
    push      offset dest
    jmp      interrupt_shell
    endm

; this 8088 version emulates the push immediate opcode
int_header_88  macro dest          ; this is the 8088 version
    push      ax           ; this saves ax on the stack
    push      bp           ; save bp while we access the stack
    mov       bp,sp         ; use bp for a pointer
    mov       ax,offset dest ; ax = dest
    xchg      ax,[bp+2]      ; restore ax and put the dest on the stack
    pop       bx           ; restore bp, leaving the dest
    jmp      interrupt_shell
    endm

;----- required by MS C Compiler -----
; This definition is required by the C Compiler.
; The value was determined by looking the standard C libraries.
_acrtused equ      9876h

; Bios Equates

dma        equ      00          ; dma channel 0 addr reg port addr
pit_port_0  equ      040h
pit_port_1  equ      041h
pit_port_2  equ      042h
pit_port_cmnd  equ      043h

pio_port_a  equ      060h          ; 8255 port a addr
pio_port_b  equ      061h          ; 8255 port b addr
pio_port_c  equ      062h          ; 8255 port c addr
pio_port_cmnd  equ      063h

segment_00  segment at 0
segment_00  ends

;comment /* rom bios data area */

segment_40  segment at 40h
comm_list dw      4 dup(?)
lpt_Tlist dw      3 dup(?)

voffset    org      67h
vsegment   dw      ?
vflag      db      ?

org      078h
lpt_timeout list db 4 dup(?)
comm_timeout list db 4 dup(?)
segment_40  ends

;----- macros used to indicate org conflicts -----

free=0
slop=0
```

```

romorg  macro    arg
        ifdef   temp
        temp=$
        if1
        if      ($ le (arg-0e000h)
        @out   <<->>,(arg-0e000h)-$,<<
        free=free+arg-$                                bytes free>>
        else
        @out   <<->>,$-(arg-0e000h),<<
        bytes TOO LONG !!!!!>>
        %out
        slop=slop+$-(arg-0e000h)
        endif
        endif
        else
        temp=$
        endif
        endif
        if1
        @out   <>>,arg,<<
        org    arg-0e000h                                ORIGIN OF &arg>>
        endm

@out   macro    arg1,arg2,arg3
        .radix 16
        @@out  arg1,%(arg2),arg3
        .radix 10
        endm

@@out  macro    arg1,arg2,arg3
        %out   arg1 arg2 arg3
        endm

;-----;

; Rom entry points
; Unfortunately, these entry points need to be enforced since many users assume these to be fixed.
; Even though it violates the PC rules, we have to live with it.
;
public _print_screen,_keyboard_io,_keyboard_isr,_disk_io,_disk_isr
public _video_io,_cassette_io,_printer_io,_time_of_day,_mem_size
public _equipment,_comm_io,_timer_int

_copyright equ     0e000h
_reset    equ     0e05bh
_rmi      equ     0e2c3h
_boot     equ     0edf2h
_comm_table equ    0e729h
_comm_io  equ    0e739h
_keyboard_io equ   0e82eh
_keyboard_isr equ  0e987h
_disk_io   equ   0ec59h
_disk_isr  equ   0ef57h
_disk_parms equ   0efc7h
_printer_io equ   0efd2h
_video_io  equ   0f065h
_video_parms equ  0f0a4h
_mem_size  equ   0f841h
_equipment equ   0f84dh
_cassette_io equ  0f859h
_video_font equ  0fa6eh
_time_of_day equ  0fedeh
_timer_int  equ  0fea5h
_vector    equ  0fef3h
_dummy_iret equ  0ff53h
_print_screen equ ; power on start
_hard_Reset equ  0fff0h
_date_stamp  equ  0fff5h ; date stamp of bios
_hardware_id equ  0ffffh ; hardware ID byte

.list
.data
.code

```

## **Things I Should Tell Someone**

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## T W O

### The Top File

The Top.asm File is an assembly language file which is linked so as to reside in the top portion of the Bios segment. It is the module which responds to the power-on hardware reset of the system. This module is where the execution of code starts, and is used to reset critical peripheral functions and start Ram Refresh. A minimum block of Ram is assigned to allow the use of a stack and then control is transferred to the POD (Power On Diagnostics) routine. This module also contains the assembly language support functions used by the Bios. The Bios ID and Copyright ASCII text information, the CPU type byte, the Bios date-stamp, and the Bios checksum byte are also in this module.

---

```

Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
Module Name: AT Bios top of the segment assembly module
Version: 1.02
Author: FOSCO
Date: 10-18-89
Filename: attop.asm
Language MS MASM 5.1
Functional Description:

This module serves these purposes;
1. It provides the power-on jump at location FFFF0.
2. It starts the Ram refresh.
3. It allocates a stack.
4. It transfers flow to the power-on diagnostic module.
5. It holds assembly language functions

```

This module is linked as the final module in order for it to respond to the hardware reset power-on jump.

#### Version History:

```

1.01    In the sense program for test bios' at D000 or E000, changed the lines (2 places) from:
        cmp     byte ptr ds:[DI+2],80h
        to the following:
        cmp     byte ptr ds:[2],80h
because the inclusion of the DI index was unwanted. DI may or may not be = 0000
1.02    Deleted the test for a Bios at Segment E000
        Added interrupt disable around the insw/outsw for the hard disk
                rep_in and rep_out functions.
        Added stack swap option for function call interrupts to minimize use of
        callers stack space (for DOS 4.xx compatibility)
        Updated various modules (see modules for descriptions)

```

---

```

include atrprfx.inc

extrn biospod:near      ; pod module is a destination
extrn boot:near
extrn comm_io:near
extrn keyboard_io:near
extrn keyboard_isr:near
extrn disk_io:near
extrn disk_isr:near
extrn printer_io:near
extrn video_io:near
extrn mem_size:near
extrn equipment:near
extrn cassette_io:near

```

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---

```
extrn    time_of_day:near
extrn    timer_int:near
extrn    print_screen:near
extrn    watch_flag:word
extrn    syserror:far

extrn    restart2:near
extrn    restart5:near
extrn    restart9:near
extrn    restart10:near

;----- public labels -----
public   ver_id
public   bios_id
public   name_id
public   owner_id

public   reset
public   type_byte
public   date_stamp

public   comm_list
public   lpt_List
public   comm_timeout_list
public   lpt_timeout_List
public   config_table
public   video_Font
public   column_table
public   video_Parms
public   mode_table
public   hdisk_table
public   _acrtused

public   org_E000
; a correct link may be confirmed by checking this label's location in the file Bios.map

;===== This is Bios Identification =====

_atext  segment
assume cs:dgroup

org_E000 label byte
; There may be some programs sensitive to what bit pattern resides in this area. If so, this text
; area may be encoded as needed.

bios_compat field label byte
db      12 dup(0ffh)
db      8ah
db      'IBMC'
db      14 dup(0ffh)

;===== This is part of the power up sequence =====

reset   romorg  _reset
        proc
        jmp reseta
        align 16

ver_id label byte
db      'Version 1.02 ',0
bios_id label byte
name_id label byte
db      'Annabooks AT BiosKit ',0
owner_id label byte
db      'Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved ',0

; This ASCII field is intended to show the Copyright and even/odd identification when you are
; using 2 Proms to hold the Bios. If you examine (dump) the individual Proms, you will see a
; clear message, and will be able to discern whether it is the even or odd prom.

align   16
db      'CCoopyyrrriigghtt ((cc)) 11998888, 11998899'
db      'FFOSSCCOO -- AATT--BBIOSSKKiTT '
db      '-- AAlll RRIigghttss RReesseerrvveedd ',00
align   16
db      'eovdedn ffiieelldd ',00
align   16

;----- ; Programmers Note:
;
```

; We have noticed some reset problems with some CPU boards. If the power-on voltage does not come up cleanly and strongly, the 286 may not get a good reset. It seems that this sometimes happens on loaded systems with marginal power supplies.

The reset signal to the CPU may not delay long enough before it rises through the threshold voltage to allow the CPU to start. It also may pass through the indeterminate area (can't decide whether it is a logic "0" or a logic "1") too slowly and break into oscillation.

Another problem area we have also seen is that the crystal or oscillator may not get started consistently. If these problems are caused by hardware problems, there is little that the software can do except try to execute some delay loops until things are stable.

If you experience problems in this area, a scope is handy for checking the sequencing of the "power good" signal from the power supply, the oscillator circuits, and the waveform of the reset signal. After that, an emulator may be required to help to pinpoint the problem.

From a software standpoint, inserting delay loops may be about the only thing you can attempt.

If you encounter, and especially if you solve a problem in this area, sharing your information would be a generous gesture.

```

reseta:
    cli          ; disable interrupts
    cld
    mov al,80h   ; disable nmi's
    out 70h,al

----- check for bios' patched in -----
; This patch checking sequence is a powerful development tool. You may link to a "test" Bios at
segment D000. It allows you to modify and test Bios',
; while still retaining an operating Bios at segment F000. For more information, see the Chapter
; on "The Patch.asm file".
; If we find a Bios patch (by checking its signature), then we go to it.
;
    mov ax,0d000h ; check seg d000 first
    mov ds,ax
    cmp word ptr ds:[0],05b1h
    jne check2    ; no bios here, continue
    cmp byte ptr ds:[2],80h
    jne check2    ; no bios here, continue
    mov ax,cs      ; are we checking ourselves ?
    cmp ax,0d000h
    je check2     ; yes, skip it
    xor cx,cx     ; set 64k count
    xor al,al     ; clear checksum
    xor si,si     ; clear index

check1:
    add al,ds:[si]
    inc si
    loop or
    jne check2

    db 0eah      ; jump to bios at d000
    dw 00003h
    dw 0d000h

check2:
; First, we need to check to see if this was a power-on start or a restart from virtual mode.
; If it is a power-up start, then we will go through this startup and then go to BiosPod.
; If it is a restart we will go to a particular restart routine.
;
    in al,64h    ; look at the 8742 status port
    test al,04h   ; test the power on condition flag
    jnz @F        ; jump if not a power on start
    ; put valid restart code in cmos 0fh

    mov al,8fh    ; prepare to clear cmos cell 0f
    out 70h,al   ; select the address
    delay
    xor al,al
    out 71h,al   ; mark as valid power-up code

    xor ax,ax
    mov ds,ax
    mov word ptr ds:[472h],0       ; reset warm boot flag

    jmp power_on_start

@A:                      ; determine type of restart

```

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```
        mov     al,8fh      ; prepare to read cmos cell 0f
        out    70h,al      ; select the address
        delay
        in     al,71h      ; get the cmos contents
        or    al,al
        jnz   af
        jmp   power_on_start

aa:   cmp    al,02
        jne   af

        mov     al,8fh      ; reset the restart code to "0"
        out    70h,al
        delay
        xor    al,al
        out    71h,al
        jmp   restart2      ; memory test return

aa:   cmp    al,05
        jne   af

        mov     al,8fh      ; reset the restart code to "0"
        out    70h,al
        delay
        xor    al,al
        out    71h,al
        jmp   restart5      ; jmp dword with interrupt

aa:   cmp    al,09
        jne   af

        mov     al,8fh      ; reset the restart code to "0"
        out    70h,al
        delay
        xor    al,al
        out    71h,al
        jmp   restart9      ; block move return

aa:   cmp    al,10
        jne   af

        mov     al,8fh      ; reset the restart code to "0"
        out    70h,al
        delay
        xor    al,al
        out    71h,al
        jmp   restart10     ; jmp dword without interrupt

aa:   ; unsupported restart code

;-- save the restart code in case we want to display an invalid code --
power_on_start:
;----- start the refresh timer -----
        mov     al,74h      ; start the ram refresh timer
        out    pit_port_cmnd,al
        mov     al,T8
        out    pit_port_1,al
        mov     al,0
        out    pit_port_1,al

; save the warm boot flag while we clear the lower 64k

        xor    ax,ax
        mov    es,ax
        mov    bp,es:[472h]

; make sure all repeats are in forward direction

        cld

; cycle the ram memory to pre-charge the rams

        xor    ax,ax
        mov    di,0
        mov    cx,32768      ; store zeroes
        rep    stosw

        mov    ax,-1
        mov    di,0
        mov    cx,32768      ; store ones
        rep    stosw
```

```

xor      ax,ax
mov      di,0
mov      cx,32768          ; store zeroes
rep      stosw

mov      ax,-1
mov      di,0
mov      cx,32768          ; store ones
rep      stosw

; do a quick ram test on the lower 64k ----
; copy the bios to low ram

mov      si,0000h
mov      di,0000h
mov      cx,32768
rep      movs    word ptr es:[di],word ptr cs:[si]

; comp bios to low ram

mov      si,0000h
mov      di,0000h
mov      cx,32768
repz    cmps    word ptr es:[di],word ptr es:[si]
mov      sp,cx            ; save cx - cx = 0 = ok, else ram compare error

; now do a ram clear on 64k - then proceed

xor      ax,ax
mov      cx,32768
xor      di,di
rep      stosw

mov      es:[472h],bp      ; restore the warm boot flag in its place
mov      es:[415h],sp ; save the low ram test indicator

;-- now we can use 'C' because we can have a stack !!!!

;--- set up the local stack - now we can use real calls ---

xor      ax,ax
cli
mov      ss,ax
mov      sp,ax              ; top of the sys_seg
/*      from here on we can use 'C' because we have a stack */
-----

push    cs
pop    ds
jmp    biospod             ; 'C' wants ds = cs
reset   endp

=====

; The NMI routine may be expanded as desired. It resets the parity toggles and returns to
; the interrupted program.

romorg nmi
nmi_isr label byte
push    ax
xor    al,al
out    0a0h,al          ; disable nmi interrupts
in     al,6fh           ; reset the nmi toggles
or     al,30h
out    61h,al
and    al,0cfh
out    61h,al
pop    ax
iret

; This is where the hard disk table can reside. There is room for 60-70 entries as needed. You
; may modify these entries to support the disk types you desire.

hd_tbl_struct struct
hdFive_cyls dw ?
hdrive_heads db ?
dw      0
hdrive_precomp dw ?
db      0
hdrive_ctrl db ?
db      0
db      0

```

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```
        db      0
hdrive_lndng dw ?
hdrive_sectors db ?
        db      0
hd_tbl_struct ends

drive_type macro a1,a2,a3,a4,a5,a6,a7
    hd_tbl_struct <a2,a3,0,a4,0,a5,0,0,a6,a7,0>
endm

        align 16

hdisk_table label byte
    drive_type 1, 306, 4,128,0, 305,17
    drive_type 2, 615, 4,300,0, 615,17
    drive_type 3, 615, 6,300,0, 615,17
    drive_type 4, 940, 8,512,0, 940,17
    drive_type 5, 940, 6,512,0, 940,17
    drive_type 6, 615, 4, -1,0, 615,17
    drive_type 7, 462, 8,256,0, 511,17
    drive_type 8, 733, 5, -1,0, 733,17
    drive_type 9, 900,15, -1,8, 901,17
    drive_type 10,820, 3, -1,0, 820,17
    drive_type 11,855, 5, -1,0, 855,17
    drive_type 12,855, 7, -1,0, 855,17
    drive_type 13,306, 8,128,0, 319,17
    drive_type 14,733, 7, -1,0, 733,17
    drive_type 15, 0, 0, 0,0, 0,0
    drive_type 16,612, 4, 0,0, 663,17
    drive_type 17,977, 5,300,0, 977,17
    drive_type 18,977, 7, -1,0, 977,17
    drive_type 19,1024, 7,512,0, 1023,17
    drive_type 20,733, 5,300,0, 732,17
    drive_type 21,733, 7,300,0, 733,17
    drive_type 22,733, 5,300,0, 733,17
    drive_type 23,306, 4, 0,0, 336,17
    drive_type 24,612, 4,305,0, 663,17
    drive_type 25,306, 4, -1,0, 340,17
    drive_type 26,612, 4, -1,0, 670,17
    drive_type 27,698, 7,300,0, 732,17
    drive_type 28,976, 5,488,0, 977,17
    drive_type 29,306, 4, 0,0, 340,17
    drive_type 30,611, 4,306,0, 663,17
    drive_type 31,732, 7,300,0, 732,17
    drive_type 32,1023, 5, -1,0, 1023,17
    drive_type 33,306, 2, -1,0, 305,17
```

```
; The SysVue "TYPES" Command looks for this following
; entry to sense the end of the hard drive parameter table.
    drive_type -1,-1,-1,-1,-1,-1 ; end of table
```

```
; this function is used to reset the parity logic
```

```
reset_parity_enables proc uses ax
    in     al,61h          ; reset the nmi toggles
    or     al,30h
    out    61h,al
    and    al,0cfh
    out    61h,al
    ret
reset_parity_enables      endp

romorg  boot
jmp    boot
```

```
; This is the table referenced by the Int 15, Function C0
; get system configuration parameters call.
```

```
config_table label byte
    dw      8      ; length of table in bytes
    db      0fh    ; model byte
    db      01h    ; sub model byte
    db      0      ; bios_level
    db      70h    ; DMA 3,cascade 8259, rtc clock
    db      4 dup(0); spares

romorg  _comm_table
comm_table label byte
    dw      1047,768,384,192,96,48,24,12

romorg  _comm_io
jmp    _comm_To

romorg  _keyboard_io
```

```

        jmp      keyboard_io
romorg   keyboard_isr
jmp      Keyboard_Tsr
romorg   _disk_io
int_header disk_io           ; disk uses own stack
romorg   disk_isr
jmp      disk_Tsr

; This is the default disk parameter table. The Biosdisk.c Module actually uses its own set
; of enhanced parameters to support the additional drive types available.

romorg   _disk_parms
fdisk_table label byte
db      0dfh,2,25h,2,0fh,1bh,0ffh,54h,0f6h,0fh,8

romorg   _printer_io
jmp      printer_To
romorg   _video_io
int_header video_io          ; video uses own stack
romorg   _video_parms
video_parms label byte
db      38h,40,2dh,10,1fh,6,19h,1ch,2,7,6,7,0,0,0,0
db      71h,80,5ah,10,1fh,6,19h,1ch,2,7,6,7,0,0,0,0
db      38h,40,2dh,10,7fh,6,64h,70h,2,6,7,0,0,0,0
db      61h,80,52h,15,19h,6,19h,19h,2,13,11,12,0,0,0,0

; The length tabel is not used by bioscrt.c
; we include it in case some user thinks it exists.

length_table label byte
dw      2048,4096,16384,16384

column_table label byte
db      40,40,80,80,40,40,80,80
mode_table label byte
db      2ch,28h,2dh,29h,2ah,2eh,1eh,29h

===== this large area is used for the asm routines =====

; This is used by the hard disk driver for data-in xfers

rep_in  proc    uses es di cx dx,tseg:word,toff:word,port:word,count:word
        mov     dx,port
        mov     es,tseg
        mov     di,toff
        mov     cx,count
        pushf           ; save flags while disabling
        cli
        cld
        rep    insw
        popf
        ret
rep_in  endp

; This is used by the hard disk driver for data-out xfers

rep_out proc   uses ds si cx dx,tseg:word,toff:word,port:word,count:word
        mov     dx,port
        mov     ds,tseg
        mov     si,toff
        mov     cx,count
        pushf           ; save flags while disabling
        cli
        cld
        rep    outsw
        popf
        ret
rep_out endp

; ----- this is the ram test called by 'C' -----
; This test is used in real-mode only.

;unsigned int ram_test(unsigned base,unsigned length)
;      returns ok = 1
;      returns error = 0

```

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```
; write and read bios pattern into 64k
ram_test proc uses cx ds si es di,test_base:word,test_length:word
    mov    cx,test_length
    mov    es,test_base
    push   cs
    pop    ds
    cld

    mov    si,0000h
    xor    di,di           ; set di = 0
    rep    movsw

    mov    si,0000h
    xor    di,di           ; set di = 0
    mov    cx,test_length
    repe  cmpsw

    jcxz  ram_test10
    mov    si,error
    jmp    short ram_test20
ram_test10:
    mov    si,ok

ram_test20:
    xor    di,di           ; set di = 0
    mov    cx,test_length
    xor    ax,ax
    rep    stosw          ; clear the block
    mov    ax,si           ; return the condition in ax
    ret

ram_test endp

; This routine is used to re-locate the Bios-system-segment from the top of the 1st 64k segment
; (at power-on time) to the top of the System Ram at run-time.

move_system_segment proc uses ax cx dx ds si es di,to_seg:word,seg_size:word
    cli               ; disable interrupts because
                      ; of moving the stack
    mov    es,to_seg ; destination segment

    mov    cx,seg_size ; calc the base segment address
    shr    cx,4
    mov    ax,1000h
    sub    ax,cx

    mov    ds,ax
    mov    cx,seg_size ; move nnnn bytes
    xor    si,si
    xor    di,di           ; set di = 0
    rep    movs byte ptr es:[di],byte ptr ds:[si]

    mov    ax,es           ; reset the stack segment
    mov    dx,ax           ; save dest segment for 40:e
    and    ax,0f000h ; stack is top of 64k segment
    mov    ss,ax

    mov    ax,ds           ; now clear the old segment
    mov    es,ax
    xor    di,di           ; set di = 0
    mov    cx,seg_size
    xor    ax,ax
    rep    stosb          ; clear the old block

    mov    ax,40h
    mov    ds,ax
    mov    ds:[0eh],dx     ; set new sys seg ptr
    sti               ; re-enable interrupts
    ret

move_system_segment endp

;----- this is the rom scan checksum called by 'C' -----
; unsigned int checksum(unsigned segment,unsigned length)

checksum proc uses bx cx ds,segptr:word,length_arg:word
    checksum proc uses bx cx ds,segptr:word,length_arg:word
    mov    ds,segptr        ; get base address
    mov    cx,length_arg    ; get count
    xor    ax,ax
    xor    bx,bx
aa:   add    al,ds:[bx]
    inc    bx
    loop   aa              ; point to next byte
    ret

checksum endp
```

```

;-- this is the far call routine called by 'C' rom scan ---
; void far_call(unsigned int segment,unsigned int address)

far_call proc segptr:word,addr:word
LOCAL temp_segment:word,temp_offset:word
    pushf
    pusha
    push    ds
    push    es
    push    segptr           ; get segment
    pop     temp_segment
    push    addr             ; get offset
    pop     temp_offset
    call    dword ptr [temp_offset]
    pop     es
    pop     ds
    popa
    popf
    ret
far_call endp

;-- this jump to boot passes the drive # in dl --
; boot_jump(seg,off,drive);

boot_jump proc      segptr:word,addr:word,drive:word
local temp_segment:word,temp_offset:word
    push    segptr           ; get segment
    pop     temp_segment
    push    addr             ; get offset
    pop     temp_offset
    mov    dx,drive
    jmp    dword ptr [temp_offset]
boot_jump endp

;----- beep routine -----
; void beep(void);

beep    proc uses ax bx cx dx
        mov    bx,128          ; 128 cycles last about 1/12 sec.
        mov    dx,pio_port_b
        in     al,dx           ; save the 8255 port byte
        mov    ah,al
beep10: and   al,0fch         ; turn the beeper off
        out   dx,al
        mov   cx,64            ; make the duty cycle 50%
aa:    loop  ab
        or    al,2             ; turn the beeper on
        out   dx,al
        mov   cx,64            ; leave it on = to the off time
aa:    loop  ab
        dec   bx              ; count the major cycles down
        jnz   beep10
        mov   al,ah            ; get the original port byte
        out   dx,al            ; restore the 8255 to previous
        ret
beep    endp

;----- seg_40_constant dw 40h
; void setds_system_segment(void);

setds_system_segment proc
    mov   ds,cs:seg_40_constant
    mov   ds,ds:[0efh]
    ret
setds_system_segment endp

;-- this is used to set the DS to a specified value --
; void setds(unsigned ptr);

setds proc seg_ptr:word
    push   seg_ptr
    pop    ds
    ret
setds endp

;-- get the current stack segment value --
; unsigned get_ss(void);

```

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```
get_ss    proc
          mov      ax,ss
          ret
get_ss    endp

;--- test the specified watch flag bits --
; return true if set, false if not

; unsigned watch(unsigned);
watch     proc   uses ds,bits:word
          call    setds_system_segment
          mov    ax,bits
          test   ds:watch_flag,ax
          mov    ax,false
          jz     @F
          mov    ax,true
@A:      ret
watch     endp

;--- this can be used to force a break while debugging --

trap      proc   ; this can be used for hard breakpointing
          int    18h      ; goes to SysVue
          ret
trap      endp

; check to see if any key present at console device --
; returns true if a key waiting

kbhit    proc   ; returns true if any key hit
          mov    ax,0100h
          int    16h
          mov    ax,false
          jz     @F
          mov    ax,true
@A:      ret
kbhit    endp

;===== Console In Routine =====

;ci       char ci(void);
ci        proc
          mov    ax,0
          int    16h
          ret
ci        endp

;***** block checksum routine *****/
; unsigned checksum_bios_block(void)
; extrn bios_start:near

checksum_bios_block proc uses bx,ds,seg_addr:word,off_addr:word
          push   cs
          pop    ds           ; set ds = cs to eliminate need for CS: override
          xor    ax,ax         ; clear accumulator
          mov    bx,offset bios_start
@A:      add    al,[bx]
          inc    bx           ; exit at end of segment
          jnz    @B
          ret
checksum_bios_block endp

;***** Console Out Routine *****/
; console out routine
; co(char);

co       proc uses ax,bx,char:byte
          mov    ah,0eh
          mov    al,char
          mov    bx,0
          int    10h
          ret
co       endp

;--- calc the hdisk size - this uses some long unsigneds --
; unsigned calc_hdisk_size(cyls,heads,sectors);
; returns a value in ax in megabytes
; By doing this in ASM, the C Lib function is not needed.

calc_hdisk_size    proc uses dx,si,cyls:word,heads:word,sectors:word
```

```

xor      dx,dx
mov      ax,cyls
mov      si,heads
mul      si
mov      si,sectors
mul      si
mov      si,2000
div      si
ret
calc_hdisk_size    endp

;-----
; this is used by the timer interrupt to chain to a user

timer_chain      proc uses ds
push    40h
pop     ds
int    1ch
ret
timer_chain    endp

; this chains the hard -> floppy disk without extra
; stack usage

fdisk_chain      proc
mov     sp,bp      ; discard the callers return address
pop     es
pop     ds
popa
int    40h
retf 2
fdisk_chain    endp

;-----  

; returns the high order word of an unsigned long integer as an unsigned in ax
; unsigned hi_regs(unsigned long)

hi_regs  proc      low_arg:word,high_arg:word
mov    ax,high_arg
ret
hi_regs  endp

;-----long multiply for setting tod clock -----
; unsigned long lmul(unsigned long,unsigned)

lmul   proc      uses bx,ax_arg:word,dx_arg:word,bx_arg:word
mov    dx,dx_arg
mov    ax,ax_arg
mov    bx,bx_arg
mul    bx
ret
lmul   endp

convert_binary  proc      arg:word
mov    ax,arg
mov    ah,al
shr    ah,4
and    al,0fh
aad
xor    ah,ah
ret
convert_binary endp

; void bin2dec(value,return_array[5]);
; the output array is in DS:

bin2dec proc uses ax di si dx,value:word,array_ptr:word
mov    di,array_ptr
mov    byte ptr ds:[di+0],'/'
mov    byte ptr ds:[di+1],'/'
mov    byte ptr ds:[di+2],'/'
mov    byte ptr ds:[di+3],'/'
mov    byte ptr ds:[di+4],'0'
mov    byte ptr ds:[di+5],0          ; string terminator char

add    di,4
mov    si,10
mov    ax,value
div
aa:   mov    dx,0
div
add    dl,'0'
mov    ds:[di],dl
dec    di
or     ax,ax

```

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```
jnz    0B
ret
bin2dec endp
;-----;
; unsigned dec2bin(unsigned decval);
; the arg is max of 9999 decimal - ok for up to 8192k of extended memory
; the binary value is returned in ax
dec2bin proc uses dx di cx,decval:word
    mov    dx,0           ; clear accumulator
    mov    ax,0
    mov    di,10          ; load multiplier
    mov    cx,4           ; load loop count
    mul    di             ; mul by ten
    add    ax,dx           ; add to accumulated number
    loop   0B             ; do for all four digits
    ret
dec2bin endp

;----- move string routine for alpha mode crt scrolling
; void move_row(unsigned segment,unsigned from_offset,unsigned to_offset, unsigned count)
move_row proc uses cx si di es ds,segptr:word,from:word,to:word,count
    mov    ds,segptr        ; segment
    mov    es,segptr
    mov    si,from           ; from
    mov    di,to             ; to
    mov    cx,count          ; count
    cld
    jcxz   0F
    rep    movsw
aa:   ret
move_row endp

;----- clear row routine for alpha mode crt scrolling
; void clear_row(unsigned segment, unsigned address,unsigned count, unsigned fill)
clear_row proc uses ax cx di es,segptr:word,addr:word,count:word,filler:word
    mov    es,segptr        ; segment
    mov    di,addr           ; address
    mov    cx,count          ; count
    mov    ax,filler          ; fill
    cld
    jcxz   0F
    rep    stosw
aa:   ret
clear_row endp

;-- move string routine for graphics mode crt scrolling
; void move_graphics_row(segment,      from_offset,to_offset, count)
move_graphics_row proc uses cx dx si di es ds,segptr:word,from:word,to:word,count:word
    mov    dx,0           ; use dx to move four lines each
move_graphics_row5:
    mov    ds,segptr        ; segment
    mov    es,segptr
    mov    si,from           ; from
    mov    di,to             ; to
    mov    cx,count          ; count
    cld
    add    si,dx
    add    di,dx
    jcxz   0F
    rep    movsw
aa:   mov    si,[bp+6]           ; from
    mov    di,[bp+8]           ; to
    add    si,2000h          ; add for odd row
    add    di,2000h          ; add for odd row
    mov    cx,[bp+10]          ; count
    cld
    add    si,dx
    add    di,dx
    jcxz   0F
    rep    movsw
aa:   add    dx,80
    cmp    dx,320
    jb     move_graphics_row5
```

```

        ret
move_graphics_row endp

;----- clear row routine for alpha mode crt scrolling
; void clear_graphics_row(segment, address, count, fill)

clear_graphics_row proc uses ax cx dx di es,segptr:word,addr:word,count:word,filler:word
    mov     dx,0           ; use dx to clear four lines each
clear_graphics_row5:
    mov     es,segptr      ; segment
    mov     di,addr        ; address
    mov     cx,count       ; count
    mov     ax,filler      ; fill
    cld
    add     di,dx
    jcxz   @F
    rep     stosw
    @E:   mov     di,[bp+6]      ; address
          add     di,2000h      ; add for odd row
          mov     cx,[bp+8]      ; count
          mov     ax,[bp+10]      ; fill
          add     di,dx
    cld
    jcxz   @F
    rep     stosw
    @E:   add     dx,80
          cmp     dx,320
          jb      clear_graphics_row5
    ret
clear_graphics_row endp

; ---- low level routines for 'C' -------

;=====
; this version assumes the regs are in the system segment. note that it also requires a
; slightly different regs structure than int86 or int86x because it always passes es and ds.

axoff    equ    4
cwoff    equ    6
dxoff    equ    8
sioff    equ    10
dioff    equ    12
bpooff   equ    14
bxoff    equ    16
dsoff    equ    18
esoff    equ    20
floff    equ    22
jmp_off  equ    24
jmp_seg  equ    26
code_string_location equ 28

; void sys_int(char number,reg_block);

code_string      proc far
    [ds      bx,cs:[bx+bxoff]
    int     0
number_offset = $-code_string-1
    ret
code_string_length = $-code_string
code_string      endp

sys_int proc uses si di ax bx cx dx es ds,           number:word,regs_block:word
    mov     bx,regs_block

; move the code string image
    ; get count of bytes to move
    mov     cx,code_string_length
    ; point to org of code_string
    mov     si,offset code_string
    ; build ptr to destination
    mov     di,bx
    add     di,offset code_string_location
    ; set segment for destination
    push    ds
    pop     es
    ; now do the copy
    rep     movs    byte ptr es:[di], byte ptr cs:[si]

; load the correct interrupt number
    mov     ax,number
    mov     [bx+code_string_location+number_offset],al

```

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; load the jump vector
mov    word ptr [bx+jmp_off],code_string_location
add    [bx+jmp_off],bx
mov    [bx+jmp_seg],ds

; load the registers
mov    ax,[bx+axoff]
mov    cx,[bx+cxoff]
mov    dx,[bx+dxoff]
mov    si,[bx+sioff]
mov    di,[bx+dioff]
mov    es,[bx+esoff]

; save the real bp for the implied LEAVE instruction
push   bp
mov    bp,[bx+bpoff]
push   ds
push   bx
call   dword ptr ds:[bx+jmp_off]

; now we have to swap out ds:bx with the stack-saved ones
push   bx          ; save returned ds:bx
push   ds
push   bp          ; save bp - will be used as ptr
mov    bp,sp
lds   bx,[bp+6] ; re-load myblock ds:bx

pop    ds:[bx+bpoff]      ; restore returned bp
pop    ds:[bx+dsloff]
pop    ds:[bx+bxoff]

pop    bp          ; discard old ds:bx slots
pop    bp          ; without affecting flags

pop    bp          ; bp is now pre-interrupt value
; store the registers

mov    [bx+esoff],es
mov    [bx+axoff],ax
mov    [bx+cxoff],cx
mov    [bx+dxoff],dx
mov    [bx+sioff],si
mov    [bx+dioff],di
pushf
pop    [bx+floff]

ret
sys_int endp

; SysErr routine puts an error code in ax, then goes to sysvue -- This is an expansion feature
; you may wish to implement.

sys_err proc uses ax,error_code:word
    mov    ax,error_code
    pushf
    call   syserror
    ret
sys_err endp

-----
; get_vector returns the selected vector in DX:AX.
; This routine is done in assembly language because a 'C'
; routine would need the library long shift function to
; build the seg:off into DX:AX.

; unsigned long get_vector(char number);

get_vector proc uses bx,es,number:word
    xor    bx,bx
    mov    es,bx
    mov    bx,number      ; int #
    xor    bh,bh
    shl    bx,1           ; mul by 4
    shl    bx,1
    cli
    mov    dx,es:[bx]+2
    mov    ax,es:[bx]
    sti
    ret
get_vector endp

getds proc
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        mov      ax,ds
getds    ret
        endp

; return the bios code segment value in AX.
; This function is coded this way so the Bios may be operated at segments other than F000.

; unsigned bios_cs(void);

bios_cs proc
        mov      ax,cs
        ret
bios_cs endp

; Disable interrupts

; void disable(void);

disable proc
        cli
        ret
disable endp

; Enable interrupts

; void enable(void);

enable proc
        sti
        ret
enable endp

; void delay(unsigned res,unsigned count);

;      res == 0 - delay in useconds
;      res != 0 - use as milliseconds resolution
;      count = count

delay_call proc uses ax cx dx ds,res:word,count:word
        cmp     res,0
        jnz     milli_delay

micro_delay:
        mov     ax,count ; micro seconds delay
        xor     dx,dx      ; this has 15 usec resolution
        mov     cx,15       ; each toggle of the refresh bit is 15 usecs
        div     cx          ; now cx = count/15
        add     ax,2         ; make sure we have at least 15-30 usecs min.
        mov     cx,ax       ; cx will be a loop count

aa:   in      al,61h      ; get port_b refresh bit
      and     al,10h      ; save only the bit we want
      cmp     ah,al
      je      aa
      mov     ah,al       ; now use current state
      loop    aa           ; wait n times
      ret

milli_delay:           ; res argument = # of millis resolution
        mov     cx,count ; this is major loop

milli_major:
        push    cx
        mov     cx,res      ; this is minor loop
        call    delay_a_milli
        loop    aa           ; wait for resolution counts
        pop     cx
        milli_major        ; repeat major loop for total counts
        ret

delay_call endp

read_timer_count proc   ; each count = .8 usecs
        xor     al,al      ; latch timer 0 count into storage register
        out    43h,al
        jmp    af
        ; delay for 8253 response

aa:   jmp    af
bb:   jmp    af
cc:   in     al,40h
      mov     ah,al
      jmp    af
      ; delay for 8253 response

dd:   jmp    af
ee:   in     al,40h
      xchg   ah,al

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        ret          ; return count in ax
read_timer_count    endp

; Note: Remember that the counters in the 8253/8254 are down counters,
; so that we have to subtract the desired count from the current count.

delay_a_milli      proc uses cx      ; delay 1 millisecond
        call      read_timer_count ; do a double read
        call      read_timer_count
        mov      cx,ax             ; since count rate is 1.19 Mhz, about
        sub      cx,1250           ; 1250 timer counts = 1 millisecond
        cmp      cx,ax
        jb       aF
        mov      cx,ax             ; delay count > current count, no rollover
        not      cx
        aA:    call      read_timer_count
        cmp      ax,cx             ; delay until current count >= calced count
        jae      aB
        ret
delay_a_milli      endp

get_offset          proc
        pop      ax               ; this function is used to retrun the callers offset
        push     ax               ; it pops the callers address into ax
        ret
get_offset          endp

;--- These are additional peek and poke functions ---

; unsigned peek40(unsigned offset);

peek40   proc uses bx es,offptr:word ; peeks in segment 40h
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,es:[bx]
        ret
peek40  endp

; char peekb40(unsigned offset);

peekb40  proc uses bx es,offptr:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      al,es:[bx]
        xor      ah,ah
        ret
peekb40  endp

; char peekbcs(unsigned offset);

peekbcs  proc uses bx,offptr:word
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      al,cs:[bx]
        xor      ah,ah
        ret
peekbcs  endp

; unsigned peekcs(unsigned offset);

peekcs   proc uses bx,offptr:word
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,cs:[bx]
        ret
peekcs  endp

; void pokeb40(unsigned offset, char value);

pokeb40  proc uses ax bx es,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        mov      es:[bx],al
        ret
pokeb40  endp

; void poke40(unsigned offset, unsigned value);

poke40   proc uses ax bx es,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
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        mov      es:[bx],ax
        ret
poke40 endp

; void andb40(unsigned offset, char value);

andb40 proc uses ax bx es,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        and      es:[bx],al
        ret
andb40 endp

; void and40(unsigned offset, unsigned value);

and40    proc uses ax bx es,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        and      es:[bx],ax
        ret
and40    endp

; void orb40(unsigned offset, char value);

orb40    proc uses ax bx es,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        or       es:[bx],al
        ret
orb40    endp

; void xorb40(unsigned offset, char value);

xorb40   proc uses ax bx es,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      bx,40h
        mov      es,bx
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        xor     es:[bx],al
        ret
xorb40   endp

---- These are the standard peeks, pokes, ins, and outs ----

; unsigned peek(unsigned segment,unsigned offset)

peek     proc uses bx es,segptr:word,offptr:word
        mov      es,segptr
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,es:[bx]
        ret
peek     endp

; void poke(segment, offset, value);

poke     proc uses ax bx es,segptr:word,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      es,segptr
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        mov      es:[bx],ax
        ret
poke     endp

; char peekb(unsigned segment,unsigned offset);

peekb    proc uses bx es,segptr:word,offptr:word
        mov      es,segptr
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      al,es:[bx]
        xor     ah,ah
        ret
peekb    endp

; void pokeb(unsigned segment, unsigned offset, char value);

pokeb    proc uses ax bx es,segptr:word,offptr:word,value:word
        mov      es,segptr
        mov      bx,offptr
        mov      ax,value
        mov      es:[bx],al

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ret
pokeb    endp

; unsigned inport(unsigned port);

inport proc uses dx,port:word
    mov      dx,port
    in       ax,dx
    ret
inport endp

; void outport(unsigned port, unsigned value);

outport proc uses dx ax,port:word,value:word
    mov      dx,port
    mov      ax,value
    out      dx,ax
    ret
outport endp

; char inportb(unsigned port);

inportb proc uses dx,port:word
    mov      dx,port
    in       al,dx
    xor      ah,ah
    ret
inportb endp

; void outportb(unsigned port, char value);

outportb proc uses ax dx,port:word,value:word
    mov      dx,port
    mov      ax,value
    out      dx,al
    ret
outportb endp

cstods   proc      ; set ds = to cs
    push    cs
    pop     ds
    ret
cstods   endp

$dummy_isr proc
    send_eoi
    iret
$dummy_isr endp

$iret    proc
    iret
$iret    endp

;--- Stack swapper for interrupt routines - (see int_header macro) ---

;--- Typically code written in C may use more stack space than
;--- tweaked assembly language code. Intermediate variables created
;--- by using "for" and "while" loops may be assigned to the stack.
;--- Also the use of the "Interrupt" declaration for Interrupt
;--- service routines causes all the registers to be pushed on the
;--- stack. Normally this does not cause problems, because user or
;--- application declared stacks are usually large enough to be safe.
;--- However, there are some instances where a program ignores the user
;--- declared stack (PC-DOS 3.xx VDISK) or system software (PC/MS 4.xx
;--- IO.SYS) sets a very tight stack, which will run with most (but not all)
;--- BIOS' written in assembly. (The more curious among us may have
;--- already discovered the phrase "may run on some PC and XT machines",
;--- in the DOS 4.xx manuals).
;---
;--- Starting with DOS 3.xx, the "stacks=n,y" command has been included
;--- for CONFIG.SYS use to set up a stack pool for swapping stacks on
;--- the hardware (caused through the 8259 interrupt controller(s)) interrupts.
;--- This alleviated some stack overflow problems encountered when
;--- running true IBM PC-DOS on true IBM hardware. So it wasn't an error
;--- committed either by the 3rd party clone or BIOS creators. It simply
;--- was a result of the programming style used in writing the DOS.
;--- Microsoft is currently the most prominent "bender" of the rules
;--- (previously IBM possessed the leverage) and we (as well as Intel)
;--- are forced to conform. The code below implements a stack swapping
;--- mechanism for use by Function Call Interrupts by creating a stack
;--- in the system segment ram area for the desired function call.
;--- The swap occurs before the Interrupt Service Routine is called,
;--- allowing all the user registers to be pushed onto the new stack.
;--- This limits user stack usage and seems to solve the problems.
```

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; Example of usage:

; A non-swapped interrupt -
Vector -----> cdecl far interrupt sample(interrupt_registers)
.
.
.
A swapped interrupt -
Vector -----> push dest
                jmp     interrupt_shell
.
.
.
                : (swap to system stack)
                : -----> cdecl far interrupt sample(interrupt_registers)
.
.
.
                : (restore to callers stack)
.
.
.

; The code below is entered with destination address on the stack
push      dest
jmp      interrupt_shell
extrn    bx_save:word,ds_save:word,dest_save:word
extrn    ss_save:word,sp_save:word,length_mark:word
extrn    current_open:word,end_block:word

size_requested equ 256      ; default standard size

interrupt_shell proc
        ; entered with interrupts disabled as a
        ; result of the previous Int xx opcode.

        push      ds
        push      bx
        mov      bx,0
        mov      ds,bx
        mov      ds,ds:[040eh]           ; get system segment
        pop      bx_save              ; sys:xx
        pop      ds_save               ; sys:xx+2
        pop      dest_save             ; sys:xx+4
        mov      bx,current_open
        pushf
        add      bx,size_requested   ; check for space available
        cmp      bx,end_block
        jb      @F                   ; jump if enough space
        popf
        push
        lds      bx,dword ptr ds:[bx_save] ; use current stack, jump to isr service
        ret

@A:
        mov      bx,current_open      ; get base address of block
        add      current_open,size_requested
        mov      ds:[bx+length_mark],size_requested ; mark the block "in use"
        mov      ds:[bx+ss_save],ss ; save the caller stack pointers
        mov      ds:[bx+sp_save],sp ; in the allocated stack block
        mov      sp,ds
        mov      ss,sp
        mov      sp,ds:[current_open] ; set sp at top of new block

        pushf
        push
        cs
        offset continue      ; set up phony interrupt call
        dest_save             ; set destination address
        push
        lds      bx,dword ptr ds:[bx_save] ; restore ds:bx to callers values
        ret                  ; go to dest with phnoy call

continue:
        push      bx
        push      ds
        mov      bx,0
        mov      ds,bx
        mov      ds,ds:[040eh]
        pop      ds_save
        pop      bx_save
        pushf
        sub      ds:[current_open],size_requested
        popf

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        mov     bx, current_open
        mov     ss,ds:[bx+ss_save] ; get the callers stack description
        mov     sp,ds:[bx+sp_save]
        mov     ds:[bx+length_mark],0 ; mark the block as free
        lds     bx,dword ptr ds:[bx_save]

        retf    2                  ; return with current flags
interrupt_shell endp

;===== end of the asm routines =====

        romorg _mem_size
        jmp     _mem_size

        romorg _equipment
        jmp     _equipment

        romorg _cassette_io          ; cassette uses own stack
        int_header cassette_io

        romorg video_font
video_font label byte
; These are the bit-mapped characters for the graphics mode. They must be here
; because some user software uses these for generating characters in graphics mode.

        db      000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 00 - nul
        db      07eh,081h,0a5h,081h,0bdh,099h,081h,07eh ; 01 - ^A
        db      07eh,0ffh,0dbh,0ffh,0c3h,0e7h,0ffh,07eh ; 02 - ^B
        db      06ch,0feh,0feh,0feh,07ch,038h,010h,000h ; 03 - ^C
        db      010h,038h,07ch,0feh,07ch,038h,010h,000h ; 04 - ^D
        db      038h,07ch,038h,0feh,0feh,07ch,038h,07ch ; 05 - ^E
        db      010h,010h,038h,07ch,0feh,07ch,038h,07ch ; 06 - ^F
        db      000h,000h,018h,03ch,03ch,018h,000h,000h ; 07 - ^G
        db      0ffh,0ffh,0e7h,0c3h,0c3h,0e7h,0ffh,0ffh ; 08 - ^H
        db      000h,03ch,066h,042h,042h,066h,03ch,000h ; 09 - ^I
        db      0ffh,0c3h,099h,0bdh,0bdh,099h,0c5h,0ffh ; 0A - ^J
        db      00fh,007h,00fh,07dh,0cch,0cch,0cch,078h ; 0B - ^K
        db      03ch,066h,066h,066h,03ch,018h,07eh,018h ; 0C - ^L
        db      03fh,033h,03fh,030h,030h,070h,0f0h,0e0h ; 0D - ^M
        db      07fh,063h,07fh,063h,06eh,067h,0e6h,0c0h ; 0E - ^N
        db      099h,05ah,03ch,0e7h,0e7h,03ch,05ah,099h ; 0F - ^O
        db      080h,0e0h,0f8h,0feh,0f8h,0e0h,080h,000h ; 10 - ^P
        db      002h,00eh,03eh,0feh,03eh,00eh,002h,000h ; 11 - ^Q
        db      018h,03ch,07eh,018h,018h,07eh,03ch,018h ; 12 - ^R
        db      066h,066h,066h,066h,066h,000h,066h,000h ; 13 - ^S
        db      07fh,0dbh,0dbh,07bh,01bh,01bh,01bh,000h ; 14 - ^T
        db      03eh,063h,038h,06ch,06ch,038h,0cch,078h ; 15 - ^U
        db      000h,000h,000h,000h,07eh,07eh,07eh,000h ; 16 - ^V
        db      018h,03ch,07eh,018h,07eh,03ch,018h,0ffh ; 17 - ^W
        db      018h,03ch,07eh,018h,018h,018h,018h,000h ; 18 - ^X
        db      018h,018h,018h,07eh,07eh,03ch,018h,000h ; 19 - ^Y
        db      000h,018h,00ch,0feh,00ch,018h,000h,000h ; 1A - ^Z
        db      000h,030h,060h,0feh,060h,030h,000h,000h ; 1B - ^
        db      000h,000h,0c0h,0c0h,0c0h,0feh,000h,000h ; 1C - ^\'
        db      000h,024h,066h,0ffh,066h,024h,000h,000h ; 1D - ^
        db      000h,018h,03ch,07eh,01fh,01fh,000h,000h ; 1E - ^6
        db      000h,0ffh,0ffh,07eh,03ch,018h,000h,000h ; 1F - ^
        db      000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 20 - spc
        db      030h,078h,078h,030h,030h,000h,030h,000h ; 21 - !
        db      06ch,06ch,06ch,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 22 - "
        db      06ch,06ch,0feh,06ch,0feh,06ch,06ch,000h ; 23 - #
        db      030h,07ch,0c0h,078h,00ch,0f8h,030h,000h ; 24 - $
        db      000h,0c6h,0c0ch,018h,030h,066h,0c6h,000h ; 25 - x
        db      038h,06ch,038h,076h,0dch,0cch,076h,000h ; 26 - &
        db      060h,060h,0c0h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 27 - '
        db      018h,030h,060h,060h,030h,018h,000h ; 28 - (
        db      060h,030h,018h,018h,018h,030h,060h,000h ; 29 - )
        db      000h,066h,03ch,01fh,03ch,066h,000h,000h ; 2A - *
        db      000h,030h,030h,01ch,030h,030h,000h,000h ; 2B - +
        db      000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,030h,030h,060h ; 2C - -
        db      000h,000h,000h,01ch,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 2D - .
        db      000h,000h,000h,000h,030h,030h,000h,000h ; 2E - .
        db      006h,00ch,018h,030h,060h,0c0h,080h,000h ; 2F - /
        db      07ch,0c6h,0ceh,0deh,0f6h,0e6h,07ch,000h ; 30 - 0
        db      030h,070h,030h,030h,030h,030h,0fcch,000h ; 31 - 1
        db      078h,0cch,00ch,038h,060h,0cch,0fcch,000h ; 32 - 2
        db      078h,0cch,00ch,038h,00ch,0cch,078h,000h ; 33 - 3
        db      01ch,03ch,06ch,0cch,0feh,00ch,01eh,000h ; 34 - 4
        db      0fcch,0c0h,0f8h,00ch,00ch,0cch,078h,000h ; 35 - 5
        db      038h,060h,0c0h,0f8h,0cch,0cch,078h,000h ; 36 - 6
        db      0fcch,0cch,018h,030h,030h,030h,000h,000h ; 37 - 7
        db      078h,0cch,0cch,078h,0cch,0cch,078h,000h ; 38 - 8
        db      078h,0cch,0cch,07ch,00ch,018h,070h,000h ; 39 - 9
        db      000h,030h,030h,000h,000h,030h,030h,000h ; 3A - :
        db      000h,030h,030h,000h,000h,030h,030h,060h ; 3B - ;
        db      018h,030h,060h,0c0h,060h,030h,018h,000h ; 3C - <
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db      000h,000h,0fch,000h,000h,0fch,000h,000h ; 3D - =
db      060h,030h,018h,00ch,018h,030h,060h,000h ; 3E - >
db      078h,0cch,00ch,018h,030h,000h,030h,000h ; 3F - ?
db      07ch,0c6h,0deh,0deh,0deh,0c0h,078h,000h ; 40 - @
db      030h,078h,0cch,0cch,0fch,0cch,0cch,000h ; 41 - A
db      0fch,066h,066h,07ch,066h,066h,0fch,000h ; 42 - B
db      03ch,066h,0c0h,0c0h,0c0h,066h,03ch,000h ; 43 - C
db      0f8h,06ch,066h,066h,066h,0fch,0f8h,000h ; 44 - D
db      0feh,062h,068h,078h,068h,062h,0feh,000h ; 45 - E
db      0feh,062h,068h,078h,068h,060h,0f0h,000h ; 46 - F
db      03ch,066h,0c0h,0c0h,0ceh,066h,03eh,000h ; 47 - G
db      0cch,0cch,0cch,0fch,0cch,0cch,0cch,000h ; 48 - H
db      078h,030h,030h,030h,030h,030h,078h,000h ; 49 - I
db      01eh,00ch,00ch,00ch,00ch,00ch,078h,000h ; 4A - J
db      0e6h,066h,06ch,078h,06ch,066h,0e6h,000h ; 4B - K
db      0f0h,060h,060h,060h,062h,066h,0feh,000h ; 4C - L
db      0c6h,0eef,0feh,0f6h,0d6h,0c6h,0c6h,000h ; 4D - M
db      0c6h,0e6h,0f6h,0deh,0ceh,0c6h,0c6h,000h ; 4E - N
db      038h,06ch,0c6h,0c6h,0c6h,06ch,038h,000h ; 4F - O
db      0fch,066h,066h,07ch,060h,060h,0f0h,000h ; 50 - P
db      078h,0cch,0cch,0cch,0dch,078h,01ch,000h ; 51 - Q
db      0fch,066h,066h,07ch,06ch,066h,0e6h,000h ; 52 - R
db      078h,0cch,0e0h,070h,01ch,0cch,078h,000h ; 53 - S
db      0fch,0b4h,030h,030h,030h,030h,078h,000h ; 54 - T
db      0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,0fch,000h ; 55 - U
db      0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,078h,030h,000h ; 56 - V
db      0c6h,0c6h,0c6h,0d6h,0feh,0eef,0c6h,000h ; 57 - W
db      0c6h,0c6h,06ch,038h,038h,06ch,0c6h,000h ; 58 - X
db      0cch,0cch,0cch,078h,030h,030h,078h,000h ; 59 - Y
db      0feh,0c6h,08ch,018h,032h,066h,0feh,000h ; 5A - Z
db      078h,060h,060h,060h,060h,060h,078h,000h ; 5B - [
db      0c0h,060h,030h,018h,00ch,006h,002h,000h ; 5C - \
db      078h,018h,018h,018h,018h,018h,078h,000h ; 5D - ]
db      010h,038h,06ch,0c6h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 5E - ^
db      000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,0ffh ; 5F - ~
db      030h,030h,018h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 60 - T
db      000h,000h,078h,00ch,07ch,0cch,076h,000h ; 61 - a
db      0e0h,060h,060h,07ch,066h,066h,0dch,000h ; 62 - b
db      000h,000h,078h,0cch,0c0h,0cch,078h,000h ; 63 - c
db      01ch,00ch,00ch,07ch,0cch,0cch,076h,000h ; 64 - d
db      000h,000h,078h,0cch,0fch,0c0h,078h,000h ; 65 - e
db      038h,06ch,060h,0f0h,060h,060h,0f0h,000h ; 66 - f
db      000h,000h,076h,0cch,0cch,07ch,0cch,0f8h ; 67 - g
db      0e0h,060h,06ch,076h,066h,066h,0e6h,000h ; 68 - h
db      030h,000h,070h,030h,030h,030h,078h,000h ; 69 - i
db      00ch,000h,00ch,00ch,00ch,00ch,0cch,078h ; 6A - j
db      0e0h,060h,066h,06ch,078h,06ch,0e6h,000h ; 6B - k
db      070h,030h,030h,030h,030h,030h,078h,000h ; 6C - l
db      000h,000h,0cch,0feh,0feh,0d6h,0c6h,000h ; 6D - m
db      000h,000h,0f8h,0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,000h ; 6E - n
db      000h,000h,078h,0cch,0cch,0cch,078h,000h ; 6F - o
db      000h,000h,0dch,066h,066h,07ch,060h,0f0h ; 70 - p
db      000h,000h,076h,0cch,0cch,07ch,0cch,01eh ; 71 - q
db      000h,000h,0dch,076h,066h,060h,0f0h,000h ; 72 - r
db      000h,000h,07ch,0c0h,078h,00ch,0f8h,000h ; 73 - s
db      010h,030h,07ch,030h,030h,034h,018h,000h ; 74 - t
db      000h,000h,0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,0cch,076h,000h ; 75 - u
db      000h,000h,0cch,0cch,0cch,078h,030h,000h ; 76 - v
db      000h,000h,0c6h,0d6h,0feh,0feh,06ch,000h ; 77 - w
db      000h,000h,0c6h,06ch,038h,06ch,0c6h,000h ; 78 - x
db      000h,000h,0cch,0cch,0cch,07ch,0cch,0f8h ; 79 - y
db      000h,000h,0fch,098h,030h,064h,0fch,000h ; 7A - z
db      01ch,030h,030h,0e0h,030h,030h,01ch,000h ; 7B - {
db      018h,018h,000h,018h,018h,018h,018h,000h ; 7C - \
db      0e0h,030h,01ch,030h,030h,0e0h,000h,000h ; 7D - \
db      076h,0dch,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h,000h ; 7E - \
db      000h,010h,038h,06ch,0c6h,0c6h,0feh,000h ; 7F - \
romorg    time_of_day
jmp      Time_of_day
romorg    timer_int
jmp      Timer_Int
romorg    _dummy_iret
iret
romorg    _print_screen           ; print screen uses own stack
int_header print_screen
abort_string label byte
db      13,10,'WARNING - This program cannot be executed under DOS.',13,10,'$'
abort:   push    cs
          pop     ds
          ; if this program is started by dos, we display a message and abort

```

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```
        mov      dx,offset abort_string
        mov      ax,0900h
        int      21h                  ; print string
        mov      ax,4c00h
        int      21h                  ; exit to DOS

;== This is the hardware entry point after a reset ==

        romorg    _hard_reset

starting_point:
        db       0eah
        dw       0e05bh
        dw       0f000h

;== This is the standard location for the date-stamp ==

        romorg    _date_stamp
date_stamp label byte 0
        db       '---/---/---,0

; These locations are loaded with the current date by biosdate during the build process.

;===== This is the CPU type byte =====

type_byte label byte
        db       0

; This location is loaded with the type byte value by biostype during the build process.

;== This is where the Bios checksum value is stored ==

        db       0

; This location is loaded with the calculated checksum by biossum during the build process.

_atext    ends
        end      abort
```

## THREE

### The Pad File

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The Pad.asm File is an assembly language file used to assign the starting offset of the Bios to a location greater than 0000 in the segment. If it is desired to reserve space at the beginning of the Bios segment for optional rom-scan modules, or to reduce the size of the Bios to less than 64 Kbytes in order to use a smaller-size prom, the biospad module is used to declare the Bios starting offset. A signature is placed at the beginning of this module to facilitate the detection of secondary and test Bios'. The signature is a representation of the word "bios" expressed by the hexadecimal characters "b105".

```
*****
Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved
Module Name: AT Bios pad out the front of the bios
Version: 1.00
Author: FOSCO
Date: 12-01-88
Filename: atpad.asm
Functional Description:
This module is used to fill out the front of the bios prom when a less than 64k bios is desired.
The linker always generates a 64k binary image module. The unused locations are preset to all
ones (FF) so that prom programmers may skip over these locations. This leaves them unused
and available for merging in optional rom-scan modules for an extended custom Bios.
Version History:
*****
include atprfx.inc
.code
extrn    reset:near

bios_start proc
    dw      05b1h      ; this is a Bios signature
    db      80h
    jmp    reset
bios_start endp
end
```

## **Things I Should Forget**

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## F O U R

### The Fill File

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The Fill.asm File is an assembly language file used during the linking process to upwardly justify the biostop module so that it resides at the end of the Bios segment.

```
*****
Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved
Module Name: Bios fill at link time
Version: 1.00
Author: FOSCO
Date: 5-12-88
Filename: atfill.asm
Functional Description:
```

```
    Uses biosfill.inc (generated by BIOSGEN) to fill out area so the biostop module will
    be positioned correctly      at the top of the bios.
```

```
Version History:
```

```
*****
;*****/
```

```
include  atprfx.inc
_fill    segment
        include  atfill.inc
_fill    ends
end
```

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## FIVE

### The Data File

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The Data.asm File is an assembly language file used to declare the variables assigned to the system scratch Ram segment and those used by the SysVue program. These variables will be assigned to the top 2 Kbytes of space in the system Ram Memory map by the power-up (POD) routine.

The memory block pool definitions also reside in this file. The acquire\_block and release\_block operations (in Biosmisc.c) are used to assign memory for use as variables to limit use of the stack by Bios function call routines.

```
*****
Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved
Module Name: AT Bios system data definition
Version: 1.00
Author: FOSCO
Date: 12-01-88
Filename: atdata.asm
Language: MS MASM 5.1
Functional Description:
This module is used to declare the variables in the system ram segment. Most of these variables
are used by biosvue.
A stack is assigned at the top of the module for use by the POD routines.
Version History:
;*****
include atprfx.inc
; the data section to declare the system ram for biosvue
public mode_size
public mode_type
public sysvue_busy
public inchar
public buffer
public exit_flag
public buffer_index
public reg_saves
public inreg_saves
public outreg_saves
public token_Index
public token_value
public cc
public token_buffer
public command_index
public flag_index
public token_number
public list_Index
public last_delim
public break_flag
public last_dump_start_seg
public last_dump_start_off
public int_seg
public int_off
public reg_index
public break_chain
public trace_chain
public trap_chain
public present
public sum
public enter_seg,enter_off
public char_count
public record_type
```

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```
public    trace_count
public    watch_flag
public    watch_selection
public    u_found
public    jj
public    redirect_flag
public    dec_array

;== definition of system scratch object ==

scratch segment at 0           ; Object Structure Definitions
@id      dw      ?
; optional id field = 5aa5 to be valid
; load this field if you need to locate
; this object in an expanded system.

; sysvue variables

sysvue_busy dw ?
mode_size dw ?
mode_type dw ?
inchar dw ?
buffer dw 80 dup(?)          ; line input buffer
exit_flag dw ?                ; -1 = exit from sysvue
buffer_index dw ?             ; ptr for buffer
                                align 16
reg_saves label word          ; these are normal saves
dw      16 dup (?)
inreg_saves label word        ; these are used for INT command
dw      16 dup(?)
outreg_saves label word       ; these are used for INT command
dw      16 dup(?)
token_index dw ?              ; ptr for token string
token_value dw 8 dup(?)
cc      dw ?
token_buffer dw 16 dup(?)    ; token string
command_index dw ?            ; gotten from _token_index
flag_index      dw      ?     ; nr. of matching item
token_number dw ?             ; last delimiter found
list_Index dw ?
last_delim dw ?
break_flag dw ?
last_dump_start_seg dw ?
last_dump_start_off dw ?
int_seg dw ?
int_off dw ?
reg_index dw ?
break_chain dd ?
trace_chain dd ?
trap_chain dd ?
present dw ?
trace_count dw ?             ; reserved space for protected mode tables
sum      dw ?
enter_seg dw ?
enter_off dw ?
char_count dw ?
record_type dw ?
watch_flag dw ?               ; pointer to parent bios
watch_selection dw ?          ; reserved space for protected mode tables
u_found  dw ?
jj      dw ?
redirect_flag dw ?            ; GDT_block
dec_array db 6 dup(?)

;===== variables for functions =====

;----- reserved space for protected mode tables -----


;----- pointer to parent bios -----


;      org      48h
parent public parent
parent dw ?

;----- reserved space for protected mode tables -----


;----- GDT_block -----
align    16
public   GDT_block
GDT_block label byte
dq      7 dup(?)

;----- IDT_block -----
public   IDT_block
IDT_block dq 0

align    16
public   psuedo_LIDT
```

```

psuedo_LIDT      df      0
                  align  8
public          psuedo_LGDT
psuedo_LGDT      df      0

                  align 16
public          virtual_block
virtual_block    label byte
db              256 dup(?)  

;  

; block space for allocating
public          start_block
public          current_open
public          end_block
public          block_beg
public          block_end  

;  

; The following area is a block-pool, from which blocks can be allocated by the functions:
; acquire_block
; release_block
;  

; These allow dynamic allocation for recursive functions while minimizing stack space used.
public          ds_save,bx_save,dest_save,length_mark
public          sp_save,ss_save  

;  

align 16
start_block      dw      ?
current_open     dw      ?
end_block dw  

bx_save          dw      ?
ds_save          dw      ?
dest_save dw  

align 16
block_beg label  word
               dw      1024 dup(?)
block_end label  word  

=====
scratch ends  

;  

; This structure is used to save the old stack pointer in the new
; stack block. It is used to switch back to the callers stack
; after a swapping interrupt.  

;  

swap_seg segment at 0
length_mark      dw      ?
                   dw      ? ; also user ID field
sp_save          dw      ? ; save of callers ss:sp
ss_save          dw      ?  

swap_seg ends
end

```

## **Meetings I Should Avoid**

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## SIX

### **The Virt File**

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The Virt.asm File contains the virtual mode routines.

Three major items are handled by the virtual routines:

1. Sizing and testing any extended ram
2. Block move routine which supports Virtual Ram Disks.
3. Switching machine operation to virtual mode.

Default descriptor tables are built for ram test and for the block move. The user needs to build the tables when switching to virtual mode. The test and the move routines have their own restart sequences, so that the CPU may be restarted back in real mode, and continue operation.

A restart consists of saving a restart code in the CMOS RAM at location 0F. An error code may be returned in DMA page register port 80. The values are used to determine what action to take. An optional argument may be saved in port 88. A signal is then sent to the 8042 keyboard controller which pulses the reset line to the CPU. The CPU then restarts in the default real-mode and the restart-code value is checked to see if it is other than a power-up or a normal reset switch sequence. If a valid restart code value is found in port 80, the Biostop.asm module code diverts to the specific restart sequence. This restart sequence then restores the machine state (registers) and returns control to the program which caused the CPU to go to virtual mode.

The 286 CPU normally starts operation in the real-mode upon power-up. It may be switched to virtual mode by setting the protection enable (PE) bit in the machine status word (MSW). Because of a quirk in the original design of the 286 CPU, the only way to switch back to the real-mode, (which is the normal mode for DOS), is by actually causing a hardware reset of the CPU chip. To permit this, the 8042 output port has an output line which connects to the 286's reset input line. A command may be sent to the 8042 to pulse this reset line.

The 386 has provision for switching to and from the virtual mode internally by modifying the machine status register (MSW) by a 386-specific instruction (MOV to Control Register). This enhancement of the 386 negates the need for the complicated restart handling of the 286.

One item about the 286 which is of interest is that there is a Interrupt Descriptor Table Register (IDTR) which provides the base address of the interrupt vectors. Upon a hardware reset, this register is set to a value of 0000, so that the base address of the interrupt vector segment is at zero. When switching to virtual mode, this register is changed to point to an Interrupt Descriptor Table (IDT). This permits the interrupt vector segment to be re-located without changing the contents of the vector locations. This basing register is also active in the real-mode (since it defaults to 0000, we are not aware of its existence in real-mode) and can be used to relocate or substitute multiple sets of interrupt vectors. In standard DOS practice, however, this option is not exercised.

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Why the DMA page register is used to save parameters - During the restart sequence, there are usually some values that need to be passed from the virtual-mode program back to the real-mode program. These could be saved in the CMOS RAM, or somewhere in system memory. A very convenient spot that was originally used on the AT type machines, is the DMA page register chip. In the earlier PC and XT type of machines, the register was a write only device, which handled the four standard DMA channels. This chip held the high four bits of the memory address during a DMA transfer, as the 8237 DMA chip only has 16-bit internal registers. The AT type of machines have an additional 8237 DMA controller for 16-bit wide data transfers. Now there was a need for 8 page registers (one for each of the 8 DMA channels). Instead of using two of the XT type chips (74670), a newer chip was selected. This is the 74612 type of chip. This contains 16 8-bit registers, 8 of which are used for the DMA channels.

These registers are both read/write, so two of these are used for passing parameters by the AT BiosKit. The basic restart-type code is passed in location 0F of the CMOS-RAM, but an error-descriptive value is passed in the page register port at 80, and a second argument may be passed in register port 88.

Notes for potential 386/376 users - The 386, as mentioned previously, has an enhanced mechanism for switching between real and virtual modes, while the 376 assumes the virtual mode of operation from reset, since it does not have the real-mode capability.

```
*****
Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
Module Name: AT BiosKit Virtual memory support
Version: 1.02
Author: FOSCO
Date: 10-20-89
Filename: atvirt.asm
Language MS MASM 5.1
Functional Description:
Version History:
1.01
Deleted some extraneous code (GDT structures)
1.02
Corrected block move errors
Changed restart from 8042 sequence to double fault shutdown sequence
Added support for restart 5 and 10
Changed "jmp myself" loop after shutdown to a HLT to keep busses quiet
*****
include atprfx.inc

extrn    outcmos:near
extrn    GDT_block:near
extrn    IDT_block:near
extrn    psuedo_GDT:near
extrn    psuedo_IDT:near

extrn    co:near
extrn    lword:near
public   restart5
public   restart9
public   restart10

err_port equ     080h      ; save stuff in page register chip
arg_port  equ     088h      ; byte for saving aux. data on restarts
port_a    equ     060h
port_b    equ     061h
inta00    equ     020h
inta01    equ     021h
```

```

intb00      equ     0a0h
intb01      equ     0a1h
status_port equ     064h
input_buffer_full equ   02h
restart_cell equ     08fh
restart_command equ   0feh
cmos_port equ    070h
disable_parity equ    00ch
enable_parity equ    0f3h
parity_error equ    0c0h

build_24bit_address macro arg1,arg2
    push    arg2
    push    arg1
    call    build_24
    add     sp,4
    endm

build_descriptor macro      arg1,arg2
    push    arg2
    push    arg1
    call    build_descriptor_routine
    add     sp,4
    endm

; These are macros to enable or disable A20, added 5-12-89 <BG>

active      equ     0dfh
inactive    equ     0ddh

change_number = 0 ; Number of change_a20 call

empty_8042  macro
    local   empty_Loop
    empty_number = empty_number + 1 ; Inc number of empty call
    xor    cx,cx
empty_loop:
    in     al,64h
    and   al,02h
    loopnz empty_Loop
    mov    al,empty_number
    endm

change_a20  macro   arg      ; 0dfh = enable, 0ddh = disable
    local   error_check,exit_change
    empty_number = 0 ; Start off with empty number = 0
    change_number = change_number + 10h
    empty_8042
        jnz   error_check
        mov   al,0dTh
        out   64h,al
    empty_8042
        jnz   error_check
        mov   al,arg
        out   60h,al
    empty_8042
error_check:
    clc
    jz    exit_change
    stc
    add   al,change_number
exit_change:
    endm

; End of new macros <BG>

===== definitions for virtual modes =====
===== (test_ram and move_block) =====

----- Code/Data Descriptor definitions -----

desc      struc
lim_15    dw      0          ; limit (15-0)
bas_15_0  dw      0          ; base (15-0)
bas_23_16 db      0          ; base (23-16)
access    db      0          ; access rights
irsv     dw      0          ; intel 386 reserved next 2 bytes
desc      ends

; trap/interrupt gate definition

tigdesc struc
code_offset dw      ?          ; offset to routine
code_select  dw      ?          ; selector to routine
            db      0          ; always zero

```

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```
hb_arb      db      ?          ; high base and access rights
              dw      0          ; reserved for 386
tigdesc ends

len_desc equ     8

;===== Global Descriptor Table structures =====

;----- the GDT for the block move organization -----
; This structure order is determined by the function call format.
; Do not alter it !
; We also use this structure for the extended memory testing
move struc
move_dmy dq 0           ; 00
move_gdt dq 0           ; 08
move_ds   dq 0           ; 10
move_es   dq 0           ; 18
move_cs   dq 0           ; 20
move_ss   dq 0           ; 28
move_idt  dq 0           ; 30 - this exists for both move and mem-test
move ends

idt      struc
idt_      dq 0           ; 00
idt_ ends

;----- the GDT for virtual mode function call -----
; This structure order is determined by the function call format.
; Do not alter it !
mode struc
mode_dmy dq 0           ; 00 - unusable
mode_gdt dq 0           ; 08 - GDT
mode_idt dq 0           ; 10 - IDT
mode_ds   dq 0           ; 18 - data
mode_es   dq 0           ; 20 - extra
mode_ss   dq 0           ; 28 - stack
mode_cs   dq 0           ; 30 - code
mode_bios dq 0           ; 38 - bios
mode ends

;----- the gdt segment for the PCD and the move ----

gdt_segment segment at 0
gdt_start label byte
    desc    <>                      ; table 0 not usable
    desc    <>                      ; 08 - GDT
    desc    <>                      ; 10 - temp for ds
    desc    <>                      ; 18 - temp for es
    desc    <>                      ; 20 - temp for ss
    desc    <>                      ; 28 - temp for cs
    desc    <>                      ; 30 - IDT - created for move
gdt_end label byte
gdt_len = gdt_end-gdt_start
gdt_segment ends

idt_segment segment at 0
idt_start label byte
    desc    <>                      ; rom idt descriptor
    ends

virtual_enable equ 1

null_idt: desc<>

;===== end of definitions =====

; this module includes all the code for accessing the virtual memory and running in protected mode
;-----
.code

;----- move virtual block - function code 15h -----
virtual_move proc uses ds,word_count:word,global_segment:word,global_offset:word
    cli                         ; disable interrupts/exceptions
    cld
    xor al,al                  ; clear the error bucket
    out err_port,al            ; enable full range addressing <BG>
    change_a20 active          ; no carry says A20 ok
    jnc af
    change_a20 inactive        ; disable it again <BG>
    mov ax,0300h                ; mark A20 error, return to caller
    ret                         ; quick return when A20 error
```

```

aa:
    pusha
    push ds
    push es
    push 40h
    pop ds
    assume ds:segment_40 ; save return pointers in low ram

    mov ax,ss ; save stack description in low ram
    mov vsegment,ax
    mov ax,sp
    mov voffset,ax

    write_cmos restart_cell,9 ; set restart type 9

    build_descriptor es,si

    mov cx,word_count ; get and save the move count

    mov ax,40h
    mov es,ax
    mov es, word ptr es:[0eh] ; get system seg

    lgdt fword ptr es:psuedo_LGDT; point the gdt-reg to the block
    lidt fword ptr es:psuedo_IDT ; IDT's are built

    mov ax,virtual_enable
    lmsw ax ; go into protected mode
    delay db 0eah ; this jump to clear queue
    db 0eah ; jmp far ptr into cs: selector to
    dw continue ; set access rights
    dw move_cs

continue:
    nop
    mov ax,move_ss ; set up selectors
    mov ss,ax
    mov ax,move_ds
    mov ds,ax
    mov ax,move_es
    mov es,ax
    sub di,di
    sub si,si ; word count is already in CX
    rep movsw ; this does the actual move
    in al,port_b ; see if a parity error on move
    test al,parity_error
    jz @F ; jump if no error
    xchg ds:[di],ax ; re-write the bad word
    xchg ds:[di],ax
    mov al,1 ; set parity error code in bucket
    out err_port,al
    in al,port_b
    delay or al,disable_parity ; reset parity
    out port_b,al
    delay and al,enable_parity
    out port_b,al

aa: change_a20_inactive
    jnc @F
    in al,err_port ; were there any previous errors ?
    or al,al ; test for non-zero
    jnz @F
    mov al,3 ; no - set A20 error code
    out err_port,al

aa: ifndef SLOW_RESET ; Shutdown may not work on some chipsets <BG>
; try causing a shutdown
    lidt fword ptr cs:null_idt
    int 3
else <BG> ; Use keyboard controller to reset if shutdown won't work
endif
    mov al,restart_command ; this causes restart
    out status_port,al ; End of alternate reset code <BG>
    hlt ; stop cpu to quiet the busses

;- This is where the restart from the block moves comes in -

restart9: ; proc
    mov ax,40h
    mov ds,ax
    assume ds:segment_40

```

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```
cli
mov ax,vsegment ; restore the original real stack
mov ss,ax
mov ax,voffset
mov sp,ax
pop es
pop ds
popa
in al,err_port ; get returning error code
mov ah,al
xor al,al
ret ; return with error code in AH
virtual_move endp

----- switch to virtual mode -----
; Int 15, function 89
; void virtual_mode(bhbl,seg,off)
; called with Bh = 8259 #1 index
; called with bl = 8259 #2 index
; called with es = segment of pointer to global desc. table
; called with si = offset of pointer to global desc. table
; returns with ax = 0 = ok, else not zero = error
; all other registers destroyed !!!!

virtual_mode proc bhbl:word,desc_seg:word,desc_off:word
    cli
    change_a20_active
    jnc AF
    mov ax,-1 ; set error, quick return to caller
    ret
QQ:
    mov es,desc_seg
    mov si,desc_off
    lgdt fword ptr es:[si].mode_gdt
    lidt fword ptr es:[si].mode_idt
    ; reload the 8259 interrupt controllers because we have changed the base address of the
IDT
    ; ( the interrupt vectors).

    mov al,11h
    out inta00,al
    delay
    mov ax,bhbl ; this is parm from caller
    xchg ah,al
    out inta01,al
    delay
    mov al,04h
    out inta01,al
    delay
    mov al,01h
    out inta01,al
    delay
    mov al,0ffh
    out inta01,al

    mov al,11h
    out intb00,al
    delay
    mov ax,bhbl ; this is parm from caller
    out intb01,al
    mov al,2
    delay
    out intb01,al
    delay
    mov al,1
    out intb01,al
    delay
    mov al,0ffh
    out intb01,al

; build our own CS: as the bas 23_16 value for the descriptor table, This way we can execute from
; a secondary or a test bios, at other than segment F000.

    mov ax,cs
    shr ax,12 ; now looks as 32-16 value

    mov es:[si].mode_cs.lim_15_0,-1
    mov es:[si].mode_cs.bas_23_16,al
    mov es:[si].mode_cs.bas_15_0,0
    mov es:[si].mode_cs.access,93h
    mov es:[si].mode_cs.irsv,0
    mov ax,virtual_enable
    lmsw ax
```

```

delay          ; this jump to clear queue
mov    ax,mode_ds
mov    ds,ax
mov    ax,mode_es
mov    es,ax
mov    ax,mode_ss
mov    ss,ax
pop    bx      ; get the return address off the stack
add    sp,4     ; need to adjust this !!!!  

              ; we may have to back up through the call  

              ; into the Int 15 function to return  

              ; to the real caller. ???
push   mode_cs
push   bx      ; push cs selector on stack
retf
virtual_mode endp

; These are the "continue" points for returning from virtual mode to
; real mode, when using the switch to virtual mode function above
; The User MUST disable both interrupts and NMI, and load V_OFFSET and
; V_SEGMENT with a valid continuation address. Then the user must
; load the restart code (5d or 10d (05h or 0ah)) in CMOS location
; xx, then cause a double fault exception to force a CPU reset. Not many
; users get involved in this.
; Programmers Opinion: If you really want to operate in virtual mode,
; get a 386 machine.

restart5:
in    al,60h      ; purge the keyboard buffer
mov   al,20h      ; send an EOI to the interrupt controller
out   20h,al      ; to purge pending timer interrupts

restart10:
mov   ax,40h      ; voffset is in segment 40:
mov   ds,ax
jmp   dword ptr voffset

;=====

idt_descriptor label byte
dw    rom_idt_len
dw    offset rom_idt
db    0fh,0         ; resident idt table is in bios_cs
idt_descriptor_length = $-idt_descriptor
rom_idt:
tigdesc <exc_00,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_01,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_02,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_03,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_04,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_05,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_06,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_07,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_08,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_09,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_10,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_11,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_12,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_13,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_14,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_15,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_16,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_17,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_18,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_19,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_20,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_21,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_22,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_23,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_24,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_25,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_26,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_27,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_28,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_29,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_30,move_cs,,87h>
tigdesc <exc_31,move_cs,,87h>
rom_idt_len equ $-rom_idt

;=====

ex_int:
mov   al,2      ; exception interrupts for move
out   err_port,al ; error code = 2 = excep. int. error
mov   al,restart_command
out   status_port,al

aa: hit

```

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```
        jmp      28

restore_idt label fword
    dw      3ffh          ; lim_15_0
    dw      0              ; base
    dw      0

iret_addr label word
    iret

; this sets up an all inclusive exception table. if we get an exception while we are in
; virtual mode, we want to process and report it.

sys_idt_offsets label word
    dw      offset exc_00      : 00 = divide error
    dw      offset exc_01      : 01 = single step
    dw      offset exc_02      : 02 = nmi
    dw      offset exc_03      : 03 = trap
    dw      offset exc_04      : 04 = into detect
    dw      offset exc_05      : 05 = bounds check
    dw      offset exc_06      : 06 = invalid opcode
    dw      offset exc_07      : 07 = NPX not available
    dw      offset exc_08      : 08 = double fault
    dw      offset exc_09      : 09 = NPX segment error
    dw      offset exc_10      : 10 = invalid tss
    dw      offset exc_11      : 11 = cs, ds, es not present
    dw      offset exc_12      : 12 = ss: not present
    dw      offset exc_13      : 13 = general prot error
    dw      offset exc_14      : 14 =
    dw      offset exc_15      : 15 =
    dw      offset exc_16      : 16 = NPX error
    dw      offset exc_17      : 17 =
    dw      offset exc_18      : 18 =
    dw      offset exc_19      : 19 =
    dw      offset exc_20      : 20 =
    dw      offset exc_21      : 21 =
    dw      offset exc_22      : 22 =
    dw      offset exc_23      : 23 =
    dw      offset exc_24      : 24 =
    dw      offset exc_25      : 25 =
    dw      offset exc_26      : 26 =
    dw      offset exc_27      : 27 =
    dw      offset exc_28      : 28 =
    dw      offset exc_29      : 29 =
    dw      offset exc_30      : 30 =
    dw      offset exc_31      : 31 =

----- this is the canned gdt for the pod routines -----
gdt_data_start label word
    desc    <0,0,0,0>      : 00
    desc    <gdt_len,offset GDT_block,0,93h> ; 08 - the GDT
    desc    <-1,0000h,0fh,93h> ; 10 - temp for ds
    desc    <-1,0000h,10h,93h> ; 18 - temp for es
    desc    <-1,0000h,00h,93h> ; 20 - temp for cs
    desc    <-1,0000h,00h,93h> ; 28 - temp for ss
    desc    <rom_idt_len,rom_idt,0,93h> ; 30 - the IDT
gdt_data_end label word

;----- exception handlers -----
exc_00: mov     al,0          ; load al with exception number
        jmp     test_exc
exc_01: mov     al,1          test_exc
exc_02: mov     al,2          test_exc
exc_03: mov     al,3          test_exc
exc_04: mov     al,4          test_exc
exc_05: push    es           ; this is a bounds check
        mov     ax,move_es
        mov     es,ax
        sub     di,di
        mov     word ptr es:[di],0
        mov     word ptr es:[di+2],07ffffh
        pop     es
        mov     al,5          test_exc
exc_06: mov     al,6          test_exc
exc_07: mov     al,7          test_exc
```

```

        jmp      test_exc
exc_08: mov      al,8   test_exc
        jmp      al,9   test_exc
exc_09: mov      al,10  test_exc
        jmp      al,11  test_exc
exc_10: mov      al,12  test_exc
        jmp      al,13  test_exc
exc_11: mov      al,14  test_exc
exc_12: mov      al,15  test_exc
exc_13: mov      al,16  test_exc
        jmp      al,17  test_exc
exc_14: mov      al,18  test_exc
        jmp      al,19  test_exc
exc_15: mov      al,20  test_exc
        jmp      al,21  test_exc
exc_16: mov      al,22  test_exc
        jmp      al,23  test_exc
exc_17: mov      al,24  test_exc
        jmp      al,25  test_exc
exc_18: mov      al,26  test_exc
        jmp      al,27  test_exc
exc_19: mov      al,28  test_exc
        jmp      al,29  test_exc
exc_20: mov      al,30  test_exc
        jmp      al,31  test_exc
; if we got an exception, process it so we can return an
; exception code.

test_exc:
        add      al,80h          ; add 80h to these exceptions
        out     err_port,al
        iret

;----- build a descriptor table in the system ram segment ---
; we do this for both the block move and the mem-test
;t_seg:t_off points to the template to build
;we will fill in some dynamic values
;it will be built in system:segment:GDT_block

;----- build the global descriptor tables -----
; These are built with current CS: in case we are in test mode

build_descriptor_routine proc t_seg:word,t_off:word
        ;-- ds:si = seg:off of the template
        mov      ds,t_seg
        mov      si,t_off
        ;-- es:di = location in system segment to build the descriptor
        mov      di,offset GDT_block
        mov      ax,40h
        mov      es,ax
        mov      es, word ptr es:[0eh]
        ;-- cx = length of the template
        mov      cx,24           ; template is 48 bytes long

```

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```
push    di          ; save base address of GDT table
rep     movsw
pop     di

;-- build a dynamic GDT descriptor

build_24bit_address es,<offset GDT block>
mov     es:[di].move_gdt.lim_15_0,38h
mov     es:[di].move_gdt.bas_15_0,ax
mov     es:[di].move_gdt.bas_23_16,dl
mov     es:[di].move_gdt.access,93h
mov     es:[di].move_gdt.irsv,0

;-- build a dynamic CS: descriptor

build_24bit_address cs,0
mov     es:[di].move_cs.lim_15_0,-1
mov     es:[di].move_cs.bas_15_0,ax
mov     es:[di].move_cs.bas_23_16,dl
mov     es:[di].move_cs.access,9bh
mov     es:[di].move_cs.irsv,0

;-- build a dynamic SS: descriptor

build_24bit_address ss,0
mov     es:[di].move_ss.lim_15_0,-1
mov     es:[di].move_ss.bas_15_0,ax
mov     es:[di].move_ss.bas_23_16,dl
mov     es:[di].move_ss.access,93h
mov     es:[di].move_ss.irsv,0

;-- build a dynamic IDT descriptor

build_24bit_address es,<offset IDT block>
mov     es:[di].move_idt.lim_15_0,6
mov     es:[di].move_idt.bas_15_0,ax
mov     es:[di].move_idt.bas_23_16,dl
mov     es:[di].move_idt.access,93h
mov     es:[di].move_idt.irsv,0

;-- now build the IDT descriptor

build_24bit_address cs,<offset rom_idt>
mov     dt,offset IDT_block
mov     es:[di].idt_.lim_15_0,6
mov     es:[di].idt_.bas_15_0,ax
mov     es:[di].idt_.bas_23_16,dl
mov     es:[di].idt_.access,93h
mov     es:[di].idt_.irsv,0

;-- now build the psuedo GDT descriptor

build_24bit_address es,<offset GDT_block>
mov     dt,offset psuedo_LGDT
mov     word ptr es:[di+00],56
mov     es:[di+02],ax
mov     es:[di+04],dx

;-- now build the psuedo IDT descriptor

build_24bit_address es,<offset IDT_block>
mov     dt,offset psuedo_IDT
mov     word ptr es:[di+00],256
mov     es:[di+02],ax
mov     es:[di+04],dx
ret

build_descriptor_routine    endp
-----
;  
; returns a 24 bit address in DX:AX

build_24 proc    xseg:word, xoff:word
xor    dx,dx
mov    ax,xseg      ; build 24-bit address from seg:off
mov    dl,sh
shr    dl,4
shl    ax,4
add    ax,xoff
adc    dl,0
ret
build_24 endp
-----
;  
; Test Ram - size, test, and clear
```

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;
-----  

; returns ok/error code in AX - size in cmos(30 and 31)  

; note: this are all near procs, since they can be  

; called from the Bios CS: only. After we do a restart,  

; we are also in the Bios CS:, so we automatically connect  

; with the right return address.  

; The ram test is a combination of a block-move (Bios ->  

; test area) followed by a block compare.  

;

qmsg:    db      13,10,"A20 error on entry",0

test_ext_mem proc
    cli          ; disable interrupts/exceptions
    cld
    mov al,0ffh
    out 21h,al   ; mask the 8259
    pusha        ; save all the reggies
    push ds
    push es
    write_cmos 30h,0 ; clear the reporting cells
    write_cmos 31h,0 ; for ext mem size
    xor al,al
    out err_port,al ; clear the error reporting cell

; Note: Interesting point:  

; It takes the 8042 a discrete amount of time to actually enable the A20 address line after  

; this command is given. It is given in some publications as > 20 useconds. If the extended  

; mem tests cause a system crash, it may be because A20 has not switched yet, and < 1Mb ram  

; is getting trashed. See the delay routines in the wrap enable/disable functions.

    change_a20 active ; enable full range addressing <BG>
    jnc  @F           ; Error numbers 51,52,53 <BG>
    mov ah,al          ; no carry says A20 ok
    change_a20 inactive ; <BG>
    mov al,ah          ; save number of "empty" that failed <BG>
    out err_port,al   ; retrieve number of "empty" that failed <BG>
    pop es
    pop ds
    popa
    mov ax,0300h       ; mark A20 error, return to caller
    sti               ; re-enable interrupts
    ret               ; quick return when A20 error

@@:
    push 40h
    pop ds            ; save return pointers in low ram
    assume ds:segment_40
    mov ax,ss          ; save stack description in low ram
    mov vsegment,ax
    mov ax,sp
    mov voffset,ax

    write_cmos restart_cell,2 ; set restart type 2

;----- build a complete GDT table set -----  

; Once we do this, we can't do any interrupts, because the LIDT changes the interrupt vector table  

; base. Since we set it up for exceptions, we won't be able to do video interrupts.

    build_descriptor cs,<offset GDT_data_start>
    mov ax,40h
    mov es,ax
    mov es, word ptr es:[0eh] ; get system seg
    lgdt fword ptr es:psuedo_LGDT; point the gdt-reg to the block
    lidt fword ptr es:psuedo_LIDT ; IDT's are built
    mov lmsw ax,virtual_enable
    mov ax
    delay          ; goto virtual mode
    ; this jump to clear queue
    db 0eah         ; jmp far ptr into cs: selector
    dw next
    dw move_cs

next:  delay
    mov ax,offset move_ss
    mov ss,ax

```

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```
        mov      ax,offset move_gdt
        mov      ds,ax
        assume  ds:gdt_segment
start_loc equ    00fh
end_loc   equ    0feh
        mov      dl,start_loc ; start at 1 Mb - 64K
        mov      ds:move_es.bas_15_0,0 ; set es: segment = xx0000
mem_check:
        inc      dl
        cmp      dl,end_loc      ; > 15 Mb boundary ?
        jae      mem_exit
        mov      ds:move_es.bas_23_16,dl ; set es: segment

        cld
        mov      ax,move_es
        mov      es,ax
        sub      di,di
        sub      si,si
        mov      cx,8000h ; move 64k
        rep      movs word ptr es:[di],word ptr cs:[si]
        sub      di,di
        sub      si,si
        mov      cx,8000h ; compare 64k
        repe    cmps word ptr cs:[si],word ptr es:[di]
        mem_ok  ; it's OK
        mem_exit ; exit

mem_ok:
        sub      di,di
        mov      cx,8000h ; now clear the block
        xor      ax,ax
        rep      stosw
        jmp      mem_check ; check the next block

mem_exit:
        xor      dh,dh
        dec      dl      ; bump dl down to last good segment
        sub      dx,start_loc ; rejustify to "0000"
        shl      dx,6       ; example 256K = 100h
        ; just return tested OK size - pod can display findings
        write_cmos 30h,dx ; write the cmos
        xchg    dh,dl
        write_cmos 31h,dx

change_a20_inactive ; empty numbers 71,72,73 <BG>
jnc      af
        mov      ah,al      ; save number of "empty" that failed <BG>
        in       al,err_port ; were there any previous errors ?
        or       al,al      ; test for non-zero
jnz      af
        mov      al,ah      ; no - set A20 exit error code to
        out     err_port,al ; number of failed "empty" <BG>

aa:
ifndef NO_SHUTDOWN ; Shutdown may not work on some chipsets <BG>
; try causing a shutdown
        lidt    fword ptr cs:null_idt
        int     3
else
<BG>
        mov      al,restart_command
        out     status_port,al
endif
        hlt      ; End of alternate reset code <BG>
        ; stop the CPU to quiet the busses
test_ext_mem endp

; This is the real return from the ext mem test

restart2 proc
        mov      ax,40h
        mov      ds,ax
        assume  ds:segment 40
        mov      ax,vsegment ; restore the original real stack
        mov      ss,ax
        mov      ax,voffset
        mov      sp,ax
        pop     es      ; now pop the registers
        pop     ds
        popa
        in      al,err_port ; get returning error code
        or      al,al      ; if non-zero, return "error"
jnz      af
        mov      ax,ok
        sti
        ret      ; return(ok);

aa:
```

```
    mov      ax,error
    sti
    ret
restart2 endp
;-----+
end
```

## **Meetings I Should Call**

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## **SECTION E**

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### **The C Programs**

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**These are the modules of the Bios which are in C. They include the Function Calls and the Interrupt Service Routines.**



# O N E

## The Kit.h File

The Kit.h file is the 'C' header file used for all the Bios modules. The 'C' language utilities used in the build process use normal .h files since they run from normal Ram. Because the Bios is a prom-resident program, it has its own special requirements in the use of the CPU's segment registers. Declarations to provide interrupt routine support are also in this file. A special simplified interrupt sequence is provided in order to save and restore registers when either calling interrupt routines, or in defining a function to act as an interrupt routine. Because of these features included in the bioskit.h file, interrupt service routines are written as regular functions, with the machine register state being declared as unsigned integer parameters on the stack.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios h file of standard definitons
* Version: 1.02
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 11-01-89
* Filename: atkit.h
* Language MSC 5.1
* Functional Description:
* This file is used for the standard header for bios 'C' programs. It is the only header file
* that should be #defined in the Bios modules. Other headers may contain conflicting definitions.
* The Bios does not use any standard library for two main reasons:
* 1. The linker attempts to place library routines at the top of the segment,
* which must contain some fixed code.
* 2. The standard libraries assume that the program is running under DOS (which is
* not the case for Bios), and may make DOS references.
* The file Biostop.asm contains the assembly-language functions required for the Bios.
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Font revision - content unchanged
* 1.02
* Defined casts for low ram variables
*****
unsigned peek(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned peek40(unsigned);
unsigned peekcs(unsigned);
void poke(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
void poke40(unsigned,unsigned);

unsigned char peekb(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned char peekb40(unsigned);
unsigned char peekbcs(unsigned);
unsigned peekcs(unsigned);

void pokeb(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned char);
void pokeb40(unsigned,unsigned char);
void beep(void);

void and40(unsigned,unsigned);
void andb40(unsigned,unsigned char);
void or40(unsigned,unsigned);
void orb40(unsigned,unsigned char);
void xor40(unsigned,unsigned);
```

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```
void xorb40(unsigned,unsigned char);

unsigned import(unsigned);
unsigned char inportb(unsigned);
void outport(unsigned,unsigned);
void outportb(unsigned,unsigned char);

unsigned bios_cs(void);
void set_vector(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned *);
void lbyte(unsigned char);
void lword(unsigned);
void write_string(unsigned *);
void bios_unsigned(unsigned,unsigned *,unsigned *);

void outcmos(unsigned,unsigned char);
unsigned char incmos(unsigned);
unsigned acquire_scratch_block(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned,struct callers far *);
void release_block(unsigned);
unsigned long set_timeout_count(unsigned);
void snapshot_in(unsigned, struct callers far *);
void snapshot_out(unsigned, struct callers far *);

#define true 1
#define false 0

#define yes true
#define no false

#define ok 0
#define error -1 /* error codes may be 0001-ffff */

#define at 0xfc          // type byte definition
#define xt 0xfe          // type byte definition

#define cr 13
#define lf 10
#define bspace 8

#define sys_seg_size 4096 // size of the system segment

#define BIT15 0x8000
#define BIT14 0x4000
#define BIT13 0x2000
#define BIT12 0x1000
#define BIT11 0x0800
#define BIT10 0x0400
#define BIT9 0x0200
#define BIT8 0x0100
#define BIT7 0x0080
#define BIT6 0x0040
#define BIT5 0x0020
#define BIT4 0x0010
#define BIT3 0x0008
#define BIT2 0x0004
#define BIT1 0x0002
#define BIT0 0x0001

// Define the watch bits
// These bits are also used by the block acquire/release
// function as the owners ID codes. This is for future enhancements.

#define VIDEO BIT0
#define VUE BIT1
#define CASSETTE BIT2
#define EQUIPMENT BIT3
#define MEMORY BIT4
#define LPT BIT5
#define COM BIT6
#define FLOPPY BIT7
#define HARD BIT8
#define TOD BIT9
#define BOOT BIT10
#define TIMER BIT11
#define KEYBOARD BIT12
#define PRSC BIT13
#define POO BIT14

// define the devices subject to watching - exclude some !
#define WATCH_MASK CASSETTE|EQUIPMENT|MEMORY|COM|FLOPPY|HARD|TOD|BOOT
#define carry_bit 0x0001
#define zero_bit 0x0040

#define interrupt_registers \
    unsigned es,unsigned ds, unsigned si,unsigned bp, unsigned sp, \
    unsigned bx,unsigned dx, unsigned cx, unsigned ax,unsigned ip, unsigned cs, unsigned flags
```

```

// This definition is the same as above except for the semi-colons in place of the commas.
// It is used for snapshots.

#define snap_registers \
    unsigned es;unsigned ds; unsigned di; unsigned si;unsigned bp; unsigned sp; \
    unsigned bx;unsigned dx; unsigned cx; unsigned ax;unsigned ip; unsigned cs; unsigned
flags;

// This is the structure of the callers save registers on the stack
// after an int. function entry

struct callers
{
unsigned es;
unsigned ds;
unsigned di;
unsigned si;
unsigned bp;
unsigned sp;
unsigned bx;
unsigned dx;
unsigned cx;
unsigned ax;
unsigned ip;
unsigned cs;
unsigned flags;
};

// This definition provides a simplified means to set the interrupt vector to the service routine.

#define link_interrupt(level,name) set_vector(level,bios_cs(),name)

//-----

#define variables typedef struct {
unsigned length_tag; \
unsigned user_id; \
unsigned ax; \
unsigned cx; \
unsigned dx; \
unsigned si; \
unsigned di; \
unsigned bp; \
unsigned bx; /* this is so we can do LDS BX */ \
unsigned ds; \
unsigned es; \
unsigned flags; \
unsigned jmp_off; \
unsigned jmp_seg; \
unsigned code_string[18]; /* reserved for code string */ \
};

#define end_variables unsigned char size; }

// This definition sizes the block acquire to include the variables specified
// in the variable declaration

#define acquire_block(id) acquire_scratch_block(id, \
(&myblock->size - &myblock->length_tag) + \
(16-((&myblock->size - &myblock->length_tag) % 16)))

//-----
// definitions of variables in data segment segment 40h

#define VECTOR(nr)      (*((unsigned long far *))  4 * nr))
#define VECTOR_00        (*((unsigned long far *))  0x0000))
#define VECTOR_00_OFFSET (*((unsigned far *))      0x0000))
#define VECTOR_00_SEGMENT (*((unsigned far *))     0x0002))

#define VECTOR_00        (*((unsigned long far *))  0x0000))
#define VECTOR_00_OFFSET (*((unsigned far *))      0x0000))
#define VECTOR_00_SEGMENT (*((unsigned far *))     0x0002))

#define VECTOR_00        (*((unsigned long far *))  0x0000))
#define VECTOR_00_OFFSET (*((unsigned far *))      0x0000))
#define VECTOR_00_SEGMENT (*((unsigned far *))     0x0002))

#define VECTOR_13        (*((unsigned long far *))  0x004c))
#define VECTOR_13_OFFSET (*((unsigned far *))      0x004c))
#define VECTOR_13_SEGMENT (*((unsigned far *))     0x004e))

#define VECTOR_40        (*((unsigned long far *))  0x0100))
#define VECTOR_40_OFFSET (*((unsigned far *))      0x0100))
#define VECTOR_40_SEGMENT (*((unsigned far *))     0x0102))

```

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```
#define SYSTEM_SEGMENT_PTR (((unsigned far *) 0x40e))
#define SWITCH_BYTE (*((unsigned char far *) 0x410))
#define EQUIP_FLAG (((unsigned far *) 0x410))
#define MEMORY_SIZE (((unsigned far *) 0x413))
#define KB_FLAG (((unsigned char far *) 0x417))
#define KB_FLAG_1 (((unsigned char far *) 0x418))
#define ALT_INPUT (((unsigned char far *) 0x419))
#define BUFFER_HEAD (((unsigned far *) 0x41a))
#define BUFFER_TAIL (((unsigned far *) 0x41c))
#define KB_BUFFER (((unsigned far *) 0x41e))
#define SEEK_STATUS (((unsigned char far *) 0x43e))
#define MOTOR_STATUS (((unsigned char far *) 0x43f))
#define MOTOR_COUNT (((unsigned char far *) 0x440))
#define DISK_STATUS (((unsigned char far *) 0x441))
#define CRT_MODE (((unsigned char far *) 0x449))
#define CRT_COLS (((unsigned far *) 0x44a))
#define CRT_LENGTH (((unsigned far *) 0x44c))
#define CRT_START (((unsigned far *) 0x44e))
#define CURSOR_POSN (((unsigned far *) 0x450))
#define CURSOR_MODE (((unsigned far *) 0x460))
#define ACTIVE_PAGE (((unsigned char far *) 0x462))
#define ADDR_6845 (((unsigned far *) 0x463))
#define CRT_MODE_SET (((unsigned char far *) 0x465))
#define CRT_PALETTE (((unsigned char far *) 0x466))
#define V_OFFSET (((unsigned far *) 0x467))
#define V_SEGMENT (((unsigned far *) 0x469))
#define V_FLAG (((unsigned char far *) 0x46b))
#define TIMER_LOW (((unsigned far *) 0x46c))
#define TIMER_HIGH (((unsigned far *) 0x46e))
#define TIMER_LONG (((unsigned long far *) 0x46c))
#define TIMER_LONG_MAX 0x1800b0 /* 24 hour count */
#define TIMER_OFL (((unsigned char far *) 0x470))
#define BIOS_BREAK (((unsigned char far *) 0x471))
#define RESET_FLAG (((unsigned far *) 0x472))
#define HD_STATUS1 (((unsigned char far *) 0x474))
#define HD_NUM (((unsigned char far *) 0x475))
#define HD_CONTROL (((unsigned char far *) 0x476))
#define LPT_TIMEOUT_LIST (((unsigned char far *) 0x478))
#define COMM_TIMEOUT_LIST (((unsigned char far *) 0x47c))
#define BUFFER_START (((unsigned far *) 0x480))
#define BUFFER_END (((unsigned far *) 0x482))
#define ROWS (((unsigned char far *) 0x484))
#define POINTS (((unsigned far *) 0x485))
#define INFO (((unsigned char far *) 0x487))
#define INFO_3 (((unsigned char far *) 0x488))
#define HD_STATUS (((unsigned char far *) 0x48c))
#define HD_ERROR (((unsigned char far *) 0x48d))
#define HD_INT_FLAG (((unsigned char far *) 0x48e))
#define HF_CNTRL (((unsigned char far *) 0x48f))
/* 490-493 are floppy disk drive and media type bytes */
/* 494-497 are floppy disk drive current track positions */
/* kb flags 2 and 3 must be re-located if using more than 2 floppy drives */
#define KB_FLAG_3 (((unsigned char far *) 0x496))
#define KB_FLAG_2 (((unsigned char far *) 0x497))
#define USER_FLAG (((unsigned far *) 0x498))
#define USER_FLAG_SEG (((unsigned far *) 0x49a))
#define RTC_LOW (((unsigned far *) 0x49c))
#define RTC_HIGH (((unsigned far *) 0x49e))
#define RTC_WAIT_FLAG (((unsigned char far *) 0x4a0))
#define PRSC_BUSY (((unsigned char far *) 0x500))
#define BOOT_AREA (((unsigned char far *) 0x7c00))

/*===== end of bioskit.h =====*/
```

# T W O

## The Misc File

The Misc.c file contains functions which are used by various modules. Many of the functions used by the Setup and Watch commands in Sysvue reside in this file. The register snapshot routines are in here, as well as most of the support functions for the 8042 keyboard controller chip.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios misc. functions
* Version: 1.02
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: atmisc.c
* Language: MS C 5.1
* Functional Description:
* This module includes miscellaneous functions used by various modules.
* Arguments:
* Return:
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Changed the "current video" peekb40 from 0x13 (mem size) to 0x10 (switch byte)
* 1.02
* Added 8253 timer-based timeout support
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
void eoi_sequence();

extern unsigned char type_byte;
extern unsigned char dec_array[6];
extern const unsigned char hdisk_table;
void pause(void);
unsigned get_video(void);
unsigned send_8042(unsigned);
unsigned send_8042_data(unsigned);
unsigned wait_to_rx_8042(void);
unsigned wait_to_send_8042(void);

/* L O C A L   C O N S T A N T S */
// these are the text words for the setup program
const display_list[] =
{
    "EGA",
    "CGA 40 x 25",
    "CGA 80 x 25",
    "Monochrome",
};

/* P R O G R A M S */
/*===== Send EOI to Interrupt Controller =====*/
void eoi_sequence() { outportb(0x20,0x20); }
/*===== Dump hex word on Console =====*/
```

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```
void lword(w) {lbyte(w >> 8); lbyte(w);}

/*===== Dump hex byte on Console =====*/
void lbyte(outchar)
{
    unsigned char c;
    c = (outchar >> 4) & 0x0f;
    if (c > 9) c+= 7;
    co(c + '0');
    c = outchar & 0x0f;
    if (c > 9) c+= 7;
    co(c + '0');
}

/*===== Check for 0-9, a-f, A-F character =====*/
unsigned ishex(c) /* returns true or false */
{
    if ((c >= '0') && (c <= '9')) return (true);
    if ((c >= 'a') && (c <= 'f')) return (true);
    if ((c >= 'A') && (c <= 'F')) return (true);
    return(false);
}

/*===== Check for a-z character =====*/
unsigned islower(c) /* returns true or false */
{
    if ((c >= 'a') && (c <= 'z')) return (true);
    return(false);
}

/*===== Check for a-z, A-Z character =====*/
unsigned isalpha(c) /* returns true or false */
{
    if ((c >= 'a') && (c <= 'z')) return (true);
    if ((c >= 'A') && (c <= 'Z')) return (true);
    return(false);
}

/*===== Write String on Console =====*/
void write_string(loc)
{
    while (peekb(bios_cs(),loc) != 0) { co(peekb(bios_cs(),loc++)); }
}

/*===== Set Interrupt Vector =====*/
void set_vector(int_number,seg,off)
{
    disable();
    poke(0x00,int_number * 4,off);
    poke(0x00,(int_number * 4) + 2,seg);
    enable();
}

/*===== Read CMOS Ram =====*/
unsigned char incmos(unsigned address)
{
    outportb(0x70,address | 0x80); return(inportb(0x71));
}

/*===== Write CMOS Ram =====*/
void outcmos(unsigned address,unsigned char value)
{
    outportb(0x70,address | 0x80); outportb(0x71,value);
}

/*===== return true if (type == arg) =====*/
// If you wish to dynamically determine the kind of machine, then these functions will check
// the type byte.
// To determine CPU type, expand this function with CPU testing.

// check for motherboard type

unsigned type(unsigned int arg)
{
    if((arg == at) || (arg == xt))
    {
        if ((arg == xt) && (peekbcs(&type_byte) == xt))\
        return(true);
        if ((arg == at) && (peekbcs(&type_byte) == at))\
        return(true);
    }
}
```

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}

if((arg == 86) || (arg == 186) ||
(arg == 286) || (arg == 386))// check for cpu type
{
    return(false);
}
return(false);
}

//=====

#define swapped 1 // in myblock->status, this tells if stack is swapped

extern unsigned start_block;
extern unsigned current_open;
extern unsigned end_block;
extern unsigned watch_flag;

variables
end_variables poolregs;

// block size is passed as number of bytes needed.

unsigned acquire_scratch_block(unsigned id,unsigned block_size)
{
poolregs *block_ptr;
setds_system_segment();
disabTe();
if ((current_open + block_size) < end_block)
{
// this open space is allocatable
block_ptr = current_open;
current_open += block_size;
block_ptr -> length_tag = block_size;
block_ptr -> user_id = id;

enable();
if((id & (WATCH_MASK)) != 0)
{
write_string("\n\Acquire Block "); lword(block_ptr);
if(id== FLOPPY) write_string(" Floppy");
if(id == HARD) write_string(" Disk");
if(id == BOOT) write_string(" Boot");
if(id == CASSETTE) write_string(" Cass");
if(id == EQUIPMENT) write_string(" Equi");
if(id == MEMORY) write_string(" Mem");
if(id == LPT) write_string(" Lpt");
if(id == COM) write_string(" Com");
if(id == TOD) write_string(" Tod");
if(id == KEYBOARD) write_string(" Kb");
}
return(block_ptr);
}
// acquire the start block so we can flag system error
current_open = start_block;
sys_err(0x1111); // this is an arbitrary code
enable();
return(current_open); // this is an error condition
}

void release_block(poolregs *block_ptr)
{
if((block_ptr ->user_id & ((WATCH_MASK) & watch_flag)) != 0)
{
write_string("\n\rRelease Block "); lword(block_ptr);
if(block_ptr -> user_id == FLOPPY)
write_string(" Floppy");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == HARD) write_string(" Disk");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == BOOT) write_string(" Boot");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == CASSETTE)
write_string(" Cass");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == EQUIPMENT)
write_string(" Equi");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == MEMORY) write_string(" Mem");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == LPT) write_string(" Lpt");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == COM) write_string(" Com");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == TOD) write_string(" Tod");
if(block_ptr -> user_id == KEYBOARD) write_string(" Kb");
}

disable();
// If you wish to zero out the released block, then a clear block function could be created here.

```

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```
// clear_block(block_ptr,block_ptr -> length_tag);
block_ptr -> length_tag = 0;
current_open = block_ptr;
enable();
}

//----- register snapshots -----
// this will execute if the "watch" bit for the specified device is set

void snapshot_in(unsigned device, struct callers far * frame)
{
if(watch(device))
{
    write_string("\n\rax="); lword(frame->ax);
    write_string(" bx="); lword(frame->bx);
    write_string(" cx="); lword(frame->cx);
    write_string(" dx="); lword(frame->dx);
    write_string(" sp="); lword(frame->sp);
    write_string(" bp="); lword(frame->bp);
    write_string(" si="); lword(frame->si);
    write_string(" di="); lword(frame->di);

    write_string("\n\rds="); lword(frame->ds);
    write_string(" es="); lword(frame->es);
    write_string(" ss="); lword(&frame->es + 1); // this = old ss
    write_string(" cs="); lword(frame->cs);
    write_string(" ip="); lword(frame->ip);
    write_string(" ");
    if(device == FLOPPY) write_string(" FLOPPY ");
    if(device == HARD) write_string(" DISK ");
    if(device == BOOT) write_string(" BOOT ");
    if(device == CASSETTE) write_string(" CASS ");
    if(device == EQUIPMENT) write_string(" EQUI ");
    if(device == MEMORY) write_string(" MEM ");
    if(device == LPT) write_string(" LPT ");
    if(device == COM) write_string(" COM ");
    if(device == TOD) write_string(" TOD ");
    if(device == KEYBOARD) write_string(" KB ");
}
}

void snapshot_out(unsigned device,struct callers far *frame)
{
if(watch(device))
{
    write_string("\n\rax="); lword(frame->ax);
    write_string(" bx="); lword(frame->bx);
    write_string(" cx="); lword(frame->cx);
    write_string(" dx="); lword(frame->dx);
    write_string(" sp="); lword(frame->sp);
    write_string(" bp="); lword(frame->bp);
    write_string(" si="); lword(frame->si);
    write_string(" di="); lword(frame->di);

    write_string("\n\rds="); lword(frame->ds);
    write_string(" es="); lword(frame->es);
    write_string(" ss="); lword(&frame->es + 1);
    write_string(" cs="); lword(frame->cs);
    write_string(" ip="); lword(frame->ip);
    write_string(" Carry="); lword(frame->flags & 0x01);
}
}

void watch_string(unsigned device,unsigned msg)
{
if(watch(device)) write_string(msg);
}

void watch_word(unsigned device,unsigned msg)
{
if(watch(device)) lword(msg);
}

void watch_byte(unsigned device,unsigned msg)
{
if(watch(device)) lbyte(msg);
}

void watch_char(unsigned device,unsigned msg)
{
if(watch(device)) co(msg);
}

//=====
```

```

// these will execute only in the cold-boot condition
// they will not execute for warm-boot

void cold_string(unsigned msg)
{
    if(cold()) write_string(msg);
}

void cold_word(unsigned msg)
{
    if(cold()) lword(msg);
}

void cold_byte(unsigned msg)
{
    if(cold()) lbyte(msg);
}

void cold_char(unsigned msg)
{
    if(cold()) co(msg);
}

//===== set the timer counter on boot up =====

#define seconds 0
#define minutes 2
#define hours 4

#define counts_sec 18
#define counts_min 1092
#define counts_hr 60 * counts_min

unsigned long lmul(unsigned long,unsigned);
unsigned convert_binary(unsigned char);

unsigned set_count(void)
{
    unsigned char temp;
    unsigned long count,long_temp;

    if ((temp = incmos(hours)) > 0x23) return(error);
    long_temp = convert_binary(temp);
    count = lmul(long_temp,counts_hr);

    if ((temp = incmos(minutes)) > 0x59) return(error);
    long_temp = convert_binary(temp);
    count += lmul(long_temp,counts_min);

    if ((temp = incmos(seconds)) > 0x59) return(error);
    long_temp = convert_binary(temp);
    count += lmul(long_temp,counts_sec);

    TIMER_LONG = count;
    return(ok);
}

/*=====
Return the drive type for a specified drive.
drive 00-03 = floppy
drive 80-81 = hard
-----*/
unsigned char cmos_drive_type(unsigned char drive_nr)
{
    switch(drive_nr)
    {
        case 0: return(incmos(0x10) >> 4);
        case 1: return(incmos(0x10) & 0x0f);
        case 2: return(incmos(0x11) >> 4);
        case 3: return(incmos(0x11) & 0x0f);
        case 0x80:
            if((incmos(0x12) >> 4) == 15) return(incmos(0x19));
            return(incmos(0x12) >> 4);

        case 0x81:
            if((incmos(0x12) & 15) == 15) return(incmos(0x1a));
            return(incmos(0x12) & 0x0f);
    }
    return(0);
}

//===== return the cmos system memory size =====

```

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```
unsigned cmos_mem()
{
    unsigned temp;
    temp = incmos(0x16);
    temp = temp << 8;
    temp |= incmos(0x15);
    return(temp);
}

//===== return the cmos extended memory size =====

unsigned cmos_ext()
{
    unsigned temp;
    temp = incmos(0x18);
    temp = temp << 8;
    temp |= incmos(0x17);
    return(temp);
}

//==== return the cmos extended found memory size =====

unsigned cmos_ext_found()
{
    unsigned temp;
    temp = incmos(0x31);
    temp = temp << 8;
    temp |= incmos(0x30);
    return(temp);
}

// ---- display the time -----
variables
end_variables timevars;

void display_time(void)
{
    timevars *myblock;
    myblock = acquire_block(VUE);
    myblock ->ax = 0x0200;
    sys_int(0x1a,myblock);
    co(((myblock->cx >> 12) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->cx >> 8) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(':');
    co(((myblock->cx >> 4) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->cx ) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(':');
    co(((myblock->dx >> 12) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->dx >> 8) & 0x0f) | '0');
}

// ---- display the date -----
variables
end_variables datevars;

void display_date(void)
{
    datevars *myblock;
    myblock = acquire_block(VUE);
    myblock ->ax = 0x0400;
    sys_int(0x1a,myblock);
    co(((myblock->dx >> 12) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->dx >> 8) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co('/');
    co(((myblock->dx >> 4) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->dx ) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co('/');
    co(((myblock->cx >> 12) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->cx >> 8) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->cx >> 4) & 0x0f) | '0');
    co(((myblock->cx ) & 0x0f) | '0');
}

// this is the text list for the floppy drive types
const drive_list[] =
{
    "No Drive",
    "360k",
    "1.2M",
    "720k",
    "1.44M",
    "Unknown", /* "2.88M could go here if implemented */
    "Unknown",
}
```

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"Unknown",
};

//----- display the disk drive configuration -----
void display_drives(void)
{
    unsigned next_hard = 'C';
    // the letter code of the next hard drive

    // find the number of floppy drives
    if((incmos(0x14) & 0x01) != 0)
    {
        if (cmos_drive_type(0) != 0)
        {
            write_string("\n\r      Drive A:");
            write_string(peek(bios_cs(),&drive_list[cmos_drive_type(0)]));
        }

        if(((incmos(0x14) >> 6) & 0x03) > 0)
        {
            if (cmos_drive_type(1) != 0)
            {
                write_string("\n\r      Drive B:");
                write_string(peek(bios_cs(),&drive_list[cmos_drive_type(1)]));
            }

            if(((incmos(0x14) >> 6) & 0x03) > 1)
            {
                if (cmos_drive_type(2) != 0)
                {
                    write_string("\n\r      Drive C:");
                    write_string(peek(bios_cs(),&drive_list[cmos_drive_type(2)]));
                }

                if(((incmos(0x14) >> 6) & 0x03) > 2)
                {
                    if (cmos_drive_type(3) != 0)
                    {
                        write_string("\n\r      Drive D:");
                        write_string(peek(bios_cs(),&drive_list[cmos_drive_type(3)]));
                    }
                }
            }
        }
    }

    // The letters used for the disk drives can change depending on the number of floppy drives in the
    // system. Find the number of floppy drives

    if((incmos(0x14) & 0x01) != 0)
    {
        if(((incmos(0x14) >> 6) & 0x03) > 1) next_hard++;
        if(((incmos(0x14) >> 6) & 0x03) > 2) next_hard++;

        if (cmos_drive_type(0x80) != 0)
        {
            write_string("\n\r      Drive "); co(next_hard);
            write_string(": Type ");

            // this should be printed in decimal !!
            lbyte(cmos_drive_type(0x80));
        }

        if (cmos_drive_type(0x81) != 0)
        {
            write_string("\n\r      Drive "); co(next_hard+1);
            write_string(": Type ");

            // this should be printed in decimal !!
            lbyte(cmos_drive_type(0x81));
        }
    }
}

/*----- display video type -----*/
void display_video(void)
{
    write_string("\n\r Default Video:");
    write_string(peek(bios_cs(),&display_list[get_video()]));

    write_string("\n\rExpected Video:");
    write_string(peek(bios_cs(),&display_list[(incmos(0x14) >> 4) & 0x03]));

    write_string("\n\r Current Video:");
}

```

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```
write_string(peek(bios_cs()),&display_list[(SWITCH_BYTE >> 4) & 0x03]);  
}  
  
/*----- calculate cmos checksum -----*/  
  
unsigned calc_cmos(void)  
{  
    unsigned j,x,sum = 0;  
    x = (incmos(0x2e) << 8) | incmos(0x2f);  
    for(j=0x10;j<=0x2d;j++) sum += incmos(j);  
    outcmos(0x2e,sum >> 8);  
    outcmos(0x2f,sum);  
    return(x);  
}  
  
/*----- display sys mem size -----*/  
  
display_sys_mem()  
{  
    bin2dec(cmos_mem(),&dec_array);  
    co(dec_array[0]);  
    co(dec_array[1]);  
    co(dec_array[2]);  
    co(dec_array[3]);  
    co(dec_array[4]);  
}  
  
/*----- display ext mem size -----*/  
  
display_ext_mem()  
{  
    bin2dec(cmos_ext(),&dec_array);  
    co(dec_array[0]);  
    co(dec_array[1]);  
    co(dec_array[2]);  
    co(dec_array[3]);  
    co(dec_array[4]);  
}  
  
/*----- set sys mem size -----*/  
  
set_sys_mem(unsigned sys_size)  
{  
    outcmos(0x15,sys_size);  
    outcmos(0x16,sys_size >> 8);  
    calc_cmos();  
}  
  
/*----- set ext mem size -----*/  
  
set_ext_mem(unsigned ext_size)  
{  
    outcmos(0x17,ext_size);  
    outcmos(0x18,ext_size >> 8);  
    calc_cmos();  
}  
  
/*== return the number of floppy drives in the system ==*/  
  
unsigned number_of_floppies(void)  
{  
    if (((incmos(0x14) & 0x01) == 0) return(0);  
    return((incmos(0x14) >> 6) + 1);  
}  
  
/*==== display hard disk table parameters =====*/  
  
void display_hdisk_types(void)  
{  
    unsigned qq,jk,cyls,heads,sectors,approx_size;  
    // list the table entries, calc the approximate disk size  
    // use the sectors/track to accomodate the RLL drives  
    // format is:  
    // type, cyls, heads, sectors, size  
    write_string("Type Cylinders Heads Sectors Size\r\n");  
  
    jk = 0; qq=1;  
    while(peek(bios_cs(),jk+&hdisk_table) != -1)  
    {  
        // display drive type  
        bin2dec(qq,&dec_array);  
        co(dec_array[2]);  
        co(dec_array[3]);  
        co(dec_array[4]);  
        write_string(" ");  
    }  
}
```

```

// display cylinders
cyls = peek(bios_cs(), jk+&hdisk_table);
bin2dec(cyls,&dec_array);
co(dec_array[0]);
co(dec_array[1]);
co(dec_array[2]);
co(dec_array[3]);
co(dec_array[4]);
write_string("    ");

// display heads
heads = peekb(bios_cs(), jk+2+&hdisk_table);
bin2dec(heads,&dec_array);
co(dec_array[0]);
co(dec_array[1]);
co(dec_array[2]);
co(dec_array[3]);
co(dec_array[4]);
write_string("    ");

// display sectors
sectors = peekb(bios_cs(), jk+14+&hdisk_table);
bin2dec(sectors,&dec_array);
co(dec_array[0]);
co(dec_array[1]);
co(dec_array[2]);
co(dec_array[3]);
co(dec_array[4]);
write_string("    ");

// display size (cyls*heads*sectors) in Mbytes
approx_size = calc_hdisk_size(cyls,heads,sectors);

bin2dec(approx_size,&dec_array);
co(dec_array[0]);
co(dec_array[1]);
co(dec_array[2]);
co(dec_array[3]);
co(dec_array[4]);
write_string("\n\r");

qq++;
jk = jk + 16; // look to next table entry
if((qq & 0x000f) == 0)
{
  pause();
  write_string("Type   Cylinders   Heads   Sectors   Size\n\r");
}
}

/*----- pause and wait for key -----*/
void pause(void)
{
  while(kbhit())ci(); // get any pending keys
  write_string("    --- hit any key for more ---\n\r");
  while(!kbhit());
}

/*----- display NPX status -----*/
void display_npx(void)
{
  write_string("Expected: ");
  if((inmos(0x14) & 0x02) == 0)
  {
    write_string("No");
  }
  else
  {
    write_string("Yes");
  }
  write_string("    Found: ");
  if((SWITCH_BYTE & 0x02) == 0)
  {
    write_string("No");
  }
  else
  {
    write_string("Yes");
  }
}

```

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```
>
//----- return a long timeout count -----
// - returns a long TIMER_LONG + count, corrects for 24 hour rollover
// - if rollover near, then delay until rollover, then return count
unsigned long get_current_timer(void)
{
    return(TIMER_LONG);
}

unsigned long set_timeout_count(unsigned count)
{
    while((get_current_timer() + count) > TIMER_LONG_MAX);
    return(get_current_timer() + count);
}
//----- keyboard controller support -----
/*=====
The 8042 keyboard controller uses ports 0x60 and 0x64.
0x60 = data in and out
0x64 = status in.
The status bits are:
Bit Description
7 Parity error 0 = odd (no error), 1 = even
6 rx timeout 1 = error
5 tx timeout 1 = error
4 inhibit 0/1 = inhibit/not inhibited
3 data/command port 60 = data/command
2 system flag 0= powerup, 1= reset
1 inp bfr full 0/1 = empty/full
0 out bfr full 0/1 = empty/full

8042 commands (to port 64):
0x60 write next byte (0x64) to controller: (use 0x45)
Bit Description
7 always 0
6 1 = PC compatibility mode
5 1 = PC mode
4 1 = disable keyboard
3 1 = inhibit override
2 0 = reset system flag
1 always 0
0 1 = enable out bfr full int. (IRQ1)

0xaa self test 8042
returns 0x55 in out bfr (0x60) if OK

0xc0 read 8042 input port into out bfr (0x60)
bit Description of input port
7 0/1 = keylock switch locked/not locked
6 0/1 = CGA/MDA video jumper
5 0/1 Mfg Jumper present/absent
4 0/1 system ram = 512/256 K

0xd1 write next byte (0x64) to controller
bit Description
7 kb data out line
6 kb clock out line
1 Gate A20
0 1 = reset system
=====*/
//----- reset the 8042 -----
unsigned reset_8042()
{
    unsigned stat = ok;
    // mask out interrupts in case they are still enabled
    outportb(0x21, inportb(0x21) | 0x02);
    // purge the 8042's output buffer
    inportb(0x60);
    // reset the 8042
    if(wait_to_send_8042() == error) stat = error;
    if(send_8042(0xaa) == error) stat = error;
    if(wait_to_rx_8042() == error) stat = error;
    if(inportb(0x60) != 0x55) stat = error;
    // configure 8042
    if(wait_to_send_8042() == error) stat = error;
    if(send_8042(0x60) == error) stat = error;
```

```

        outportb(0x60,0x45);
        outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~0x02);
        return(stat);
    }

//----- this gets the video jumper byte from the 8042 ----

// returns 2 = CGA, 3 = MDA

unsigned get_video()
{
    unsigned temp = 0;
    outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) | 0x02);
    wait_to_send_8042();
    send_8042(0xc0); // read the jumper command
    wait_to_rx_8042();
    temp = Inportb(0x60);
    outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~0x02);
    if ((temp & 0x40) == 0) return(2);
    // return CGA index value, else
    return(3); // return MDA index value
}

//----- wait until 8042 ready to accept another byte ----

unsigned wait_to_send_8042()
{
    unsigned long jj = set_timeout_count(20); // 1 second delay
    do { if((inportb(0x64) & 0x02) == 0) return(ok); } while (TIMER_LONG < jj);
    return(error);
}

//----- wait for 8042 output buffer to be loaded ----

unsigned wait_to_rx_8042()
{
    unsigned long jj = set_timeout_count(20); // 1 second delay
    do { if((inportb(0x64) & 0x01) != 0) return(ok); } while (TIMER_LONG < jj);
    return(error);
}

//--- send a command and wait until accepted ---

unsigned send_8042(value)
{
    outportb(0x64,value); return(wait_to_send_8042());
}

//--- check buffer ready and send data ---

unsigned send_8042_data(value)
{
    unsigned trys = 10;
    while (trys-- > 0)
    {
        if(wait_to_send_8042() == ok) { outportb(0x60,value); return(ok); }
    }
    return(error);
}

```

**Things Worth Making A Note Of**

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# T H R E E

## The Pod File

The Pod.c (Power On Diagnostics)file contains power-up diagnostics and initializing routines. This file inits some of the peripherals and also calls the setups for most of the other function calls. A general convention to develop (it has been implemented for some cases) is to examine the status returned from a function call setup routine, to determine the degree of success in initializing a device (such as video, disk, keyboard, etc.) This returned status can then be used to display an enhanced message during the POD.

```
*****
*
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT bios power on diagnostics
*
* Version: 1.01
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 12-31-88
*
* Filename: biospod.c
*
* Language: MS C 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
*
* This module does the power on diagnostics and initialization. When it finishes, it does
* a bootstrap to load the system.
*
* Arguments:
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
* Added NMI disable bit to the read_switches function.
*
*****
*/
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */

void biospod(void);
unsigned comm_setup(void);
unsigned lpt_setup(void);
void biospod(void);

unsigned xchg(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned ram_test(unsigned segment,unsigned length);
void move_system_segment(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned char read_switches(void);
unsigned rom_check(unsigned);
void cout(unsigned char);
unsigned checksum(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned cold(void);

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */

extern unsigned start_block;
extern unsigned current_open;
extern unsigned end_block;
extern unsigned block_beg;
extern unsigned block_end;

variables
end_variables podregs;

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */

extern $iret;
```

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```
extern $dummy_isr;
extern divide;
extern bios_id;
extern date_stamp;
extern bios_start;

/* LOCAL DEFINITIONS */

#define pio_port_b 0x61
#define default_equip 0x006d
#define boot_retrys 6
#define dma 0x00
#define inta01 0x21
#define timer_control_port 0x43
#define timer_counter_0_port 0x40
#define timer_counter_2_port 0x42
#define port_5 0x61
#define cr 13
#define escape 27
#define carry_bit 0x0001

/* PROGRAM */

// Biostop module already has found 64k of ram to operate with.

void biospod(void)
{
    podregs *myblock;
    unsigned ext_mem_size = 0;
    unsigned dummy,
    rom_scan_end, /* end segment value for rom scan */
    i, j,
    cs, /* save for code segment value */
    error_code; /* temp save for returned error codes */
    unsigned char checksum;
    unsigned video_status; // returned from video setup
    unsigned equipment_status; // returned from equip setup
    cs = bios_cs();

    /* use top of 1st 64k for system segment */
    SYSTEM_SEGMENT_PTR = 0x1000-(sys_seg_size >> 4);

    /* set pool delimiters */
    setds system_segment();
    start_block = current_open = &block_beg;
    end_block = &block_end;

    /* set the equipment switch flag */
    SWITCH_BYT = read_switches();

    /* load default interrupt vectors */

    for(i=0, j=0; i<31; i++, j+=4)
    {
        poke(0x0000, j, &$iret); /* load software defaults */
        /* override hardware defaults */
        if ((i >= 8) && (i <= 16)) poke(0x0000, j, &$dummy_isr);
        poke(0x0000, j+2, cs);
    }

    /* load default interrupt vectors for 8259 #2 */
    for(i=0, j=0x70*4; i<8; i++, j+=4)
    {
        poke(0x0000, j, &$dummy_isr);
        poke(0x0000, j+2, cs);
    }

    /* div by zero interrupt */
    poke(0x0000, 0x0000, &divide);

    /*----- setup the 8255 if one exists -----*/
    outportb(0x63, 0x99); /* set the control register */
    outportb(port_b, 0x70); /* disable the parity checkers */

    /*----- setup the dma controllers -----*/

#define DMA1 0x00
#define DMA2 0xc0

    outportb(DMA1+8, 0x04); // disable dma #1
    outportb(DMA2+16, 0x04); // disable dma #2

    outportb(DMA1+13, 0x00); // master clear
    outportb(DMA2+26, 0x00);
```

```

outportb(DMA1+8,0x00); // now do dma setup
outportb(DMA2+16,0x00);

outportb(DMA1+11,0x40); // set the channel defaults
outportb(DMA2+22,0xc0);
outportb(DMA1+11,0x41);
outportb(DMA2+22,0x41);
outportb(DMA1+11,0x42);
outportb(DMA2+22,0x42);
outportb(DMA1+11,0x43);
outportb(DMA2+22,0x43);

outportb(DMA2+20,0x00); // enable cascade of ch# 0

/*----- setup the 8259 interrupt controller -----*/
outportb(0x20,0x11); // icw1
outportb(0x21,0x08); // icw2
outportb(0x21,0x04); // icw3
outportb(0x21,0x01); // icw4
outportb(0x21,0xff); // disable all interrupts

outportb(0xa0,0x11); // icw1
outportb(0xa1,0x70); // icw2
outportb(0xa1,0x02); // icw3
outportb(0xa1,0x01); // icw4
outportb(0xa1,0xff); // disable all interrupts

/* allow any stray interrupts to be reset */
enable();

/*----- setup adapters and peripherals -----*/

equipment_status=equipment_setup();
video_status=video_setup();

write_string("\n\r");
write_string(&bios_id);
write_string(&date_stamp);

// If a restart sequence is generated which we do not recognize, we abort to a regular re-boot,
// and display the unknown restart code.
if(incmos(0x0f) != 0) // invalid restart code
{
    write_string("\n\rInvalid Restart Code -"); lbyte(incmos(0x0f));
}

cold_string("\n\rBios at....."); cold_word(bios_cs());
cold_string("\n\rLow 64K Ram Test.....");
if(peek(0x00,0x412) == 0) // check low-ram error flag
{
    cold_string("OK");
}
else
{
    cold_string("Error");
}
cold_string("\n\rVideo Function.....");
cold_string("OK");
cold_string("\n\rEquipment Function....");
cold_string("OK");
cold_string("\n\rKeyboard Function....");
if(keyboard_setup() == ok)
{
    cold_string("OK");
}
else
{
    cold_string("Error");
}
enable();
cold_string("\n\rSysVue....."); sysvue_setup();
cold_string("OK");
cold_string("\n\rMemory Size Function.."); mem_size_setup();
cold_string("OK");
cold_string("\n\rTimer Function....."); timer_setup();
cold_string("OK");
cold_string("\n\rTime of Day Function.."); time_of_day_setup();
if(set_count() == ok) // set the timer counter
{
    cold_string("OK");
}
else
{

```

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```
    cold_string("Error");
}
cold_string("\n\rPrint Screen....."); print_screen_setup();
cold_string("\n\rCassette Function....."); cassette_setup();
cold_string("OK");
cold_string("\n\rBootstrap Function...."); boot_setup();
cold_string("OK");

/* enable speaker */
outportb(pio_port_b,inportb(pio_port_b) & ~0x03);

/*----- setup timer 0 for the rtc -----*/
outportb(timer_control_port,0x36);
outportb(timer_counter_0_port,0xff);
outportb(timer_counter_0_port,0xff);
outportb(0x21,Tinportb(0x21) & ~0x01); /* enable the rtc */

/*----- setup timer 2 for the beeper -----*/
outportb(timer_control_port,0xb6);
outportb(timer_counter_2_port,0x33);
outportb(timer_counter_2_port,0x05);

/*
Size and Test Ram - from 64K up to 640K
-----*/
cold_string("\n");
for (i = 64; (i < 640) && (ram_test(i << 6,32768) == ok); MEMORY_SIZE = i += 64);
{
    cold_string("\rRam Test at..... ");cold_word(i << 6);
    cold_string("- OK   ");
}

// Now reset the sys segment to the top of ram. The function will copy the 0f80h block to
// the system segment then reset the stack segment register to it, then do a return.
MEMORY_SIZE = (i = MEMORY_SIZE - sys_seg_size/1024);
move_system_segment(i << 6,sys_seg_size);
cold_string("\n\rSystem Segment at...");cold_word(i<<6);

/*----- now test ram above 1Meg -----*/
// extended mem test returns ok/error
// if ok - size is in cmos(30 and 31)

write_string("\n");
if (test_ext_mem() == ok)
{
    ext_mem_size = incmos(0x31) << 8 | incmos(0x30);
    if(ext_mem_size == 0)
    {
        cold_string("\rExtended Ram Not Found");
    }
    else
    {
        for (i = 0;i <= ext_mem_size;i +=64)
        {
            cold_string("\rExt Ram at..... ");cold_word((i >> 4) + 0x1000);
            cold_string("0");
            cold_string("- OK   ");
        }
    }
    else
    {
        if(inportb(0x80) < 0x80)
        {
            cold_string("\rError on A20 Control...");
        }
        else
        {
            cold_string("\rException Error .....");
            cold_byte(inportb(0x80) & ~0x80);
        }
    }
}

/*----- do a checksum on the rom bios prom -----*/
cold_string("\n\rRom checksum.....");
checksum = checksum_bios_block();
```

```

if (checksum == 0) cold_string("OK");
else
{
    write_string("Error ");
    lbyte(checksum);
}

/* enable timer and kb interrupts */
outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & 0xfc);

/*----- setup the comm and lpt ports -----*/
cold_string("\n\rCOM Function....."); comm_setup();
cold_string("OK");

cold_string("\n\rLPT Function....."); lpt_setup();
cold_string("OK");

/*----- check for game port -----*/
if ((inportb(0x0201) & 0x0f) == 0 ) EQUIP_FLAG |= 0x1000;
/*-----*/

setup the floppy disk controller
-----
cold_string("\n\rFloppy Disk.....");
if (fdisk_setup() == ok)
{
    cold_string("OK");
}
else
{
    cold_string("OK");
}

/*-----*/
setup the hard disk controller
-----
cold_string("\n\rHard Disk Check....");
if((error_code = hdisk_setup()) == ok)
{
    cold_string(..OK");
}
else
{
    cold_word(error_code);
}

/*-----*/
Check for optional rom modules from c8000 -> beginning of bios in 2k increments.
A valid module has '55aa' in the first 2 locations, length indicator (length/512) in the
3rd location, and test/init. code starting in the 4th location. These modules may adjust
the mem size downward to reserve scratch ram memory.
-----
rom_scan_end = &bios_start;
rom_scan_end = (rom_scan_end >> 4) | 0xf000;

cold_string("\n\rScan Rom from ");
cold_word(0xc800); cold_string(" to ");
cold_word(rom_scan_end); cold_string("\n\r");

// for debugging !!
//rom_scan_end = 0xd000; // keeps from re-loading ourself
// rom-scan logic has problem with >= 64k blocks !!

for (i=0xc800;i<rom_scan_end ;i = rom_check(i));
cold_string("\n\rRom scan complete");
/*-----*/
/* re-enable the rtc in case scan module disabled it */
outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~0x01);

/*===== now do the boot =====*/

```

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```
    cold_string("\n\r----- Booting System -----<\n\r\n");
    myblock = acquire_block(POD);
    while (0==0) // stay in this loop forever
    {
        /* make sure kb interrupt is enabled */
        outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~0x02);
        enable();
        beep();
        write_string("\n\r");
        sys_int(0x19,myblock); // try boot from boot module
        sys_int(0x18,myblock); // try booting to SysVue
    }
    release_block(myblock);
}

/*=====
unsigned xchg(unsigned segment,
unsigned address,unsigned value)
{
    register i,j;
    i = peek(segment,address);
    poke(segment,address,value);
    j = peek(segment,address);
    poke(segment,address,i);
    return (j);
}

/*----- read the cmos dipswitch -----*/
char read_switches()
{
    outportb(0x70,0x94);
    return(inportb(0x71));
}
/*-----*/

unsigned rom_check( address)
{
    unsigned length,next_address;
    /* if not a module return next address */
    if(peek(address,0) != 0xaa55) return(address + 0x80);
    /* get length to checksum */
    length = peekb(address,2)*512; // blocks are 512 bytes
    next_address = address + (length >> 4);

    if (checksum(address,length) == 0)
    {
        if(address != bios_cs()) // don't call ourselves !!!
        {
            cold_string("\n\rRom Signature found at : "); cold_word(address);
            far_call(address,3);
        }
    }
    return(next_address);
}

unsigned warm(void)
{
    if (RESET_FLAG == 0x1234) return(true);
    return(false);
}
unsigned cold(void)
{
    if (RESET_FLAG != 0x1234) return(true);
    return(false);
}
```

## FOUR

### The Equipment Driver

The Equipment Configuration Driver is an Interrupt Function Call (0x11) that is used by DOS and other programs to determine the options which are present in a system. It is called with no input parameters and returns a value in the AX register describing the system options. The POD reads the configuration dipswitch and stores this value along with an adapter configuration byte into the word at 0040:0010.

```
*****
*
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT Bios equipment function
*
* Version: 1.01
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 10-20-89
*
* Filename: biosequi.c
*
* Language MS C 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
*
* Interrupt 0x11 - get equipment configuration
*
* This function call returns an equipment configuration word.
*
* The equip_flag variable is set during the power on.
*
* Returns the Equipment Word in AX:
*
* Bit Description
* 15,14 number of printers attached
* 13 = 0
* 12 = 1 = game port attached
* 11,10,9 number of rs232 cards attached
* 8 = 0
* 7,6 number of diskette drives
* 00=1, 01=2, 10=3, 11=4 only if bit 0 = 1
* 5,4 initial video mode
* 00 - no video adapter
* 01 - 40x25 bw using color card
* 10 - 80x25 bw using color card
* 11 - 80x25 bw using bw card
* 3,2 not used
* 1 0/1 = no 8087/8087
* 0 0/1 = boot from int 18/floppy disk
*
* Arguments:
* None
*
* Return:
* Equipment word in AX
*
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Replaced peek and pokes with casts
*****
*/
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

unsigned equipment_setup(void);
void interrupt cdecl far equipment(interrupt_registers);

/* G L O B A L S */

extern _equipment;
```

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---

```
/* LOCAL DEFINITIONS */
/* PROGRAM */
unsigned equipment_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x11,&_equipment);
    return(ok);
}

void interrupt cdecl far equipment(interrupt_registers)
{
    ax = EQUIP_FLAG;
}
```

## F I V E

### The Memory Size Driver

---

The Memory Size Driver is an Interrupt (0x12) Function Call that is used by various programs (including DOS) to determine how much RAM is in the system.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios memory size function
* Version: 1.01
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: atmem.c
* Language: MS C 5.1
* Functional Description:
* Interrupt 12h - get memory size
* This function call returns the amount of System RAM in AX.
* The value indicates the number of 1024 byte blocks of RAM.
* Arguments:
* None
* Return:
* Mem size in AX
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
unsigned mem_size_setup(void); // called by pod to set the interrupt vector to the service routine
void interrupt cdecl far mem_size(interrupt_registers); // returns the mem size in 1kbyte blocks
/* G L O B A L S */
extern _mem_size;
/* D E F I N I T I O N S */
/* P R O G R A M */
unsigned mem_size_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x12,&_mem_size);
    return(ok);
}
void interrupt cdecl far mem_size(interrupt_registers)
{
    ax = MEMORY_SIZE;
}
```

## **Things Not Worth Writing Down**

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## SIX

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The Keyboard Driver

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The Keyboard Driver is used to obtain keyboard input from the keyboard.

If a non-standard keyboard or alternate input device is being used, it is suggested that the keyboard function call structure be retained. The application will then be independent of the hardware characteristics of the actual input device, and may be exercised in a development environment with the standard keyboard input device.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT Bios keyboard driver
*
* Version: 1.06
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 11-01-89
*
* Filename: atkb.c
*
* Language: MS C 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
*
* Arguments:
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Added an nmi disable (out 70 with 8x) for re-boots (ctrl-alt_del).
*
* 1.02
* Modified buffer store to discard newest key on overrun.
*
* 1.03
* Improved numeric keypad handling.
*
* 1.04
* On "check for key in buffer", zeroed out only the zero bit rather than all the flag bits.
* Disabled interrupts during the "check for" sequence to insure correct key code was returned.*
*
* 1.05
* Added F11 and F12 support
*
* 1.06
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
unsigned keyboard_setup(void);
void interrupt cdecl far keyboard_io(interrupt_registers);
void interrupt cdecl far keyboard_isr();
unsigned translate_from_column(unsigned char);
void reset(void);
void int1b(void);
void update_leds(void);
void disable_keyboard(void);
void enable_keyboard(void);
unsigned send_8042_data(unsigned);
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
```

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---

```
extern _keyboard_io;
extern _keyboard_isr;

/* LOCAL DEFINITIONS */

#define pio_port_a 0x60
#define pio_port_b 0x61
#define status_port 0x64
#define in_bfr_full 0x02
//##define buffer_head 0x1a
//##define buffer_tail 0x1c
#define buffer_begin 0x1e
//##define buffer_start 0x80
//##define buffer_end 0x82
#define wait_for_key 0x00
#define check_for_key_in_buffer 0x01
#define get_fFlags 0x02

#define break_code 0x80 /* add to key to get break code */
#define tab_key 15
#define ctl_key 29
#define left_key 42
#define right_key 54
#define print_screen 55
#define alt_key 56
#define caps_key 58
#define f1 59
#define f2 60
#define f3 61
#define f4 62
#define f5 63
#define f6 64
#define f7 65
#define f8 66
#define f9 67
#define f10 68
#define f11 87
#define f12 88
#define num_key 69
#define scroll_key 70
#define num_0 82
#define num_1 79
#define num_2 80
#define num_3 81
#define num_4 75
#define num_5 76
#define num_6 77
#define num_7 71
#define num_8 72
#define num_9 73

#define minus_key 74
#define plus_key 78
#define ins_key 82
#define del_key 83
#define sys_key 84

#define ack_code 0xfa
#define resend_code 0xfe

#define ins_state 0x80
#define caps_state 0x40
#define num_state 0x20
#define scroll_state 0x10
#define alt_shift 0x08
#define ctl_shift 0x04
#define left_shift 0x02
#define right_shift 0x01

#define ins_shift 0x80
#define caps_shift 0x40
#define num_shift 0x20
#define scroll_shift 0x10
#define hold_state 0x08

#define alt_column 3
#define ctl_column 2
#define shift_column 1
#define base_column 0

/* LOCAL CONSTANTS */

/*===== This is the keyboard table =====*/

const unsigned char kb_table[89][4] =
```

```

/* This table covers all keys.
** Some keys are pre-checked for special handling.
** Some special keys are padded out in this table.
** The format is: base,upper,ctrl,alt cases.
** The alt cases are handled as extended codes.
*/
{0 , 0 , 0 , 0 }, /* base 0 padding for indexing*/
{27, 27, 27, -1 }, /* key 1 - Escape key*/
{'1','!',-1, 120 }, /* key 2 - '1'*/
{'2','@', 0, 121 }, /* key 3 - '2' - special handling */
{'3','#',-1, 122 }, /* key 4 - '3'*/
{'4','$',-1, 123 }, /* key 5 - '4'*/
{'5','%'-1, 124 }, /* key 6 - '5'*/
{'6','^', 30, 125 }, /* key 7 - '6'*/
{'7','&',-1, 126 }, /* key 8 - '7'*/
{'8','*',-1, 127 }, /* key 9 - '8'*/
{'9','(',')',-1, 128 }, /* key 10 - '9'*/
{'0',')',-1, 129 }, /* key 11 - '0'*/
{'-1,'-', 31, 130 }, /* key 12 - '-'*/
{'=,'+',-1, 131 }, /* key 13 - '='*/
{8 , 8 , 127 , -1 }, /* key 14 - backspace*/
{9 , 1 , 1 , -1 }, /* key 15 - tab*/
{'q','Q', 17, 16 }, /* key 16 - 'Q'*/
{'w','W', 23, 17 }, /* key 17 - 'W'*/
{'e','E', 5 , 18 }, /* key 18 - 'E'*/
{'r','R', 18 , 19 }, /* key 19 - 'R'*/
{'t','T', 20 , 20 }, /* key 20 - 'T'*/
{'y','Y', 25 , 21 }, /* key 21 - 'Y'*/
{'u','U', 21 , 22 }, /* key 22 - 'U'*/
{'i','I', 9 , 23 }, /* key 23 - 'I'*/
{'o','O', 15 , 24 }, /* key 24 - 'O'*/
{'p','P', 16 , 25 }, /* key 25 - 'P'*/
{'[','{', 27 , -1 }, /* key 26 - '['*/
{']','}', 29 , -1 }, /* key 27 - ']'*/
{13 , 13 , 10 , -1 }, /* key 28 - CR*/
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 29 - control shift */
{'a','A', 1 , 30 }, /* key 30 - 'A'*/
{'s','S', 19 , 31 }, /* key 31 - 'S'*/
{'d','D', 4 , 32 }, /* key 32 - 'D'*/
{'f','F', 6 , 33 }, /* key 33 - 'F'*/
{'g','G', 7 , 34 }, /* key 34 - 'G'*/
{'h','H', 8 , 35 }, /* key 35 - 'H'*/
{'j','J', 10 , 36 }, /* key 36 - 'J'*/
{'k','K', 11 , 37 }, /* key 37 - 'K'*/
{'l','L', 12 , 38 }, /* key 38 - 'L'*/
{';',';',-1,-1}, /* key 39 - ';'*/
{39 , 1 , -1 , -1 }, /* key 40 - '/'*/
{'/','~',-1,-1}, /* key 41 - '/'*/
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 42 - left shift */
{92 , 1 , 28 , -1 }, /* key 43 - '\'*/
{'z','Z', 26 , 44 }, /* key 44 - 'Z'*/
{'x','X', 24 , 45 }, /* key 45 - 'X'*/
{'c','C', 3 , 46 }, /* key 46 - 'C'*/
{'v','V', 22 , 47 }, /* key 47 - 'V'*/
{'b','B', 2 , 48 }, /* key 48 - 'B'*/
{'n','N', 14 , 49 }, /* key 49 - 'N'*/
{'m','M', 13 , 50 }, /* key 50 - 'M'*/
{'<','<',-1,-1}, /* key 51 - '/'*/
{'.','>',-1,-1}, /* key 52 - '/'*/
{'/','?',-1,-1}, /* key 53 - '/'*/
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 54 - right shift - */
{1,*,-1,114,-1}, /* key 55 - prt-scr - */
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 56 - Alt - */
{32 , 32 , 32 , 32 }, /* key 57 - space bar*/
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 58 - caps-lock - */
/* function key cases*/
{59,84,94,104 }, /* key 59 - F1*/
{60,85,95,105 }, /* key 60 - F2*/
{61,86,96,106 }, /* key 61 - F3*/
{62,87,97,107 }, /* key 62 - F4*/
{63,88,98,108 }, /* key 63 - F5*/
{64,89,99,109 }, /* key 64 - F6*/
{65,90,100,110 }, /* key 65 - F7*/
{66,91,101,111 }, /* key 66 - F8*/
{67,92,102,112 }, /* key 67 - F9*/
{68,93,103,113 }, /* key 68 - F10*/
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 69 - num-lock - */
{-1,-1,-1,-1}, /* key 70 - scroll-lock - */
/* num key pad - cases are base,upper,ctrl,alt*/
{71,'7',119,-1}, /* key 71 - home*/
{72,'8',-1,-1}, /* key 72 - cursor up*/
{73,'9',132,-1}, /* key 73 - page up*/
{'-','-',1,-1}, /* key 74 - minus sign*/
{75,'4',115,-1}, /* key 75 - cursor left*/
{-1,'5',-1,-1}, /* key 76 - center key*/
{77,'6',116,-1}, /* key 77 - cursor right*/

```

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```
{'+', '+', -1, -1 }, /* key 78 - plus sign*/
{79, '1', 17, -1 }, /* key 79 - end*/
{80, '2', -1, -1 }, /* key 80 - cursor down*/
{81, '3', 18, -1 }, /* key 81 - page down*/
{82, '0', -1, -1 }, /* key 82 - insert */
{83, '.', -1, -1 }, /* key 83 - delete */
{-1, '-1,-1,-1 }, /* key 84 - sys key */
{-1, '-1,-1,-1 }, /* key 85 */
{-1, '-1,-1,-1 }, /* key 86 */
{133, 135, 137, 139 }, /* key 87 - F11 */
{134, 136, 138, 140 }, /* key 88 - F12 */
};

/* P R O G R A M */

/*=====
=====
/* Interrupt 16h - Keyboard function call */
=====
=====

=====

unsigned keyboard_setup(void)
{
    unsigned status = ok;
    link_interrupt(0x16,&keyboard_io);
    link_interrupt(0x09,&keyboard_isr);
    if(reset_8042() == error) status = error;
    BUFFER_HEAD = buffer_begin;
    BUFFER_TAIL = buffer_begin;
    BUFFER_START = buffer_begin;
    BUFFER_END = buffer_begin + 32;
    outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~0x02);
    enable_keyboard();
    //outportb(pio_port_b,inportb(pio_port_b) | 0xc0);
    /* reset the port */
    //outportb(pio_port_b,inportb(pio_port_b) & ~0x80);
    KB_FLAG = 0; // reset the flags
    KB_FLAG_1 = 0; // reset the flags
    KB_FLAG_2 = 0; // reset the flags
    KB_FLAG_3 = 0; // reset the flags
    return(status);
}

void interrupt cdecl far keyboard_io(interrupt_registers)
{
    enable();
    switch(ax >> 8)
    {
        case wait_for_key:
            while (BUFFER_HEAD == BUFFER_TAIL)
            {
                enable();
                disable();
            }
            ax = peek40(BUFFER_HEAD); BUFFER_HEAD += 2;
            if (BUFFER_HEAD >= BUFFER_END) BUFFER_HEAD = BUFFER_START;
            enable();
            break;

        case check_for_key_in_buffer:
            disable();                                // clear only the zero bit in the flags
            ax = peek40(BUFFER_HEAD);
            if (BUFFER_HEAD == BUFFER_TAIL) flags |= zero_bit;
            enable();
            break;

        case get_flags:
            ax = (ax& 0xff00) | KB_FLAG;
            break;
    }
}

/* === keyboard hardware interrupt service routine === */

variables
unsigned char scan_code,scan_byte,col;
unsigned scan_word,temp;
end_variables_kb_regs;
```

```

void interrupt cdecl far keyboard_isr(interrupt_registers)
{
    kb_regs *myblock;
    myblock = acquire_block(KEYBOARD);
    enable();

    disable_keyboard();
    /* get scan code from input port */
    myblock->scan_code = inportb(pio_port_a);
    myblock->scan_word = -1; /* preset scan word to default no-load */

    switch (myblock->scan_code)
    {
        /* first do all the special handling keys */

        case ack_code:
            KB_FLAG_2 |= 0x10;
            break;

        case resend_code:
            KB_FLAG_2 |= 0x20;
            break;

        case sys_key:
            break;

        case tab_key:
            if((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) != 0)
                myblock->scan_word = 15*256;
            else
                myblock->scan_word = 15*256+9;
            break;

        case ctl_key:
            KB_FLAG |= ctl_shift;
            break;

        case break_code+ctl_key:
            KB_FLAG &= ~ctl_shift;
            break;

        case left_key:
            KB_FLAG |= left_shift;
            break;

        case break_code+left_key:
            KB_FLAG &= ~left_shift;
            break;

        case right_key:
            KB_FLAG |= right_shift;
            break;

        case break_code+right_key:
            KB_FLAG &= ~right_shift;
            break;

        case print_screen:
            if((KB_FLAG & ctl_shift) != 0)
                myblock->scan_word = 114*256;
            else
            {
                if((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) != 0)
                    sys_int(0x05,myblock);
                else
                    myblock->scan_word = 55*256+/*/;
            }
            break;

        case break_code+print_screen: /* print screen break */
            break;

        case alt_key:
            KB_FLAG |= alt_shift;
            /*-if((KB_FLAG & alt_shift) == 0) */
            ALT_INPUT = 0;
            break;

        case break_code+alt_key:
            KB_FLAG &= ~alt_shift;
            if(ALT_INPUT != 0) myblock->scan_word = ALT_INPUT;
            break;

        case caps_key:
            if ((KB_FLAG_1 & caps_shift) == 0)
            /* if key not depressed */

```

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```
{  
    KB_FLAG_1 |= caps_shift;  
    KB_FLAG ^= caps_state;  
}  
break;  
  
case break_code+caps_key:  
KB_FLAG_1 &= ~caps_shift;  
break;  
  
case num_key:  
if ((KB_FLAG_1 & num_shift) == 0)  
/* if key not depressed */  
{  
    KB_FLAG_1 |= num_shift;  
    KB_FLAG ^= num_state;  
}  
if((KB_FLAG & ctl_shift) != 0)  
/* do pause mode */  
{  
    KB_FLAG_1 |= hold_state;  
    if(CRT_MODE != 7)  
    {  
        outportb(0x3d8,CRT_MODE_SET);  
    }  
    eoi_sequence();  
    enable_keyboard();  
    while !(KB_FLAG_1 & hold_state) != 0) {}  
}  
break;  
  
case break_code+num_key:  
KB_FLAG_1 &= ~num_shift;  
break;  
  
case scroll_key:  
if ((KB_FLAG_1 & scroll_shift) == 0)  
/* if key not depressed */  
{  
    KB_FLAG_1 |= scroll_shift;  
    if(KB_FLAG_1 & (ctl_shift | alt_shift)) == 0)  
    {  
        // don't change state if ctrl or alt keys down  
        KB_FLAG ^= scroll_state;  
    }  
}  
if((KB_FLAG & ctl_shift) != 0)  
{  
    eoi_sequence();  
    enable_keyboard();  
    if((KB_FLAG & alt_shift) != 0)  
    {  
        sys_int(0x18,myblock);  
    }  
    else /* break condition */  
    {  
        BIOS_BREAK = 0x80;  
        sys_int(0x1b,myblock);  
    }  
}  
break;  
  
case break_code+scroll_key:  
KB_FLAG_1 &= ~scroll_shift;  
break;  
  
case ins_key:  
if ((KB_FLAG & alt_shift) != 0)  
{  
    assemble_alt_numeric(myblock->scan_code);  
}  
else  
{  
    if ((KB_FLAG & ins_shift) == 0)  
    {  
        KB_FLAG ^= ins_state; /* toggle insert state */  
        KB_FLAG_1 |= ins_shift;  
    }  
    // If in either num_state or shift_state, but not both, code = '0'  
    // else code = 0  
    if((KB_FLAG & num_state) == 0)  
    {  
        if ((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) == 0)  
            myblock->scan_word = ins_key*256;  
        else
```

```

        myblock->scan_word = ins_key*256+'0';
    }
    else
    {
        if ((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) != 0)
            myblock->scan_word = ins_key*256;
        else
            myblock->scan_word = ins_key*256+'0';
    }
    break;

    case break_code+ins_key:
    KB_FLAG_1 &= ~ins_shift;
    break;

    case minus_key:
    myblock->scan_word = 74*256+'-';
    break;

    case plus_key:
    myblock->scan_word = 78*256+'+';
    break;

    case del_key:
    if((KB_FLAG & (ctl_shift | alt_shift)) == (ctl_shift | alt_shift))
    {
        if ((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) == 0)
        {
            RESET_FLAG = 0x1234; /* warm boot */
        }
        else
        {
            RESET_FLAG = 0; /* cold boot */
        }
        disable();
        incmos(0x00); // set NMI mask
        far_call(bios_cs(),&reset);
    }
    else
    {
        if((KB_FLAG & num_state) != 0)
        {
            if((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) == 0)
                myblock->scan_word = 83*256+'.';
            else
                myblock->scan_word = 83*256;
        }
        else
        {
            if((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) != 0)
                myblock->scan_word = 83*256+'.';
            else
                myblock->scan_word = 83*256;
        }
    }
    break;

    case break_code+del_key:
    break;

    default: /* not a special handling key */

    if ((myblock->scan_code & 0x80) == 0)
    /* do only the makes for these */
    {
        myblock->scan_code &= 0x7f; /* clear the break bit */

        /* release the hold state if it is active */
        if(KB_FLAG_1 & hold_state) != 0) KB_FLAG_1 &= ~hold_state;
        else
        {
            switch (myblock->scan_code)
            {
                case num_0:
                case num_1:
                case num_2:
                case num_3:
                case num_4:
                case num_5:
                case num_6:
                case num_7:
                case num_8:
                case num_9:
                    if ((KB_FLAG & alt_shift) != 0)

```

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```
assemble_alt_numeric(myblock->scan_code);
else
{
    myblock->col = 0; /* BASE = 0 (all extended codes) */
    if ((KB_FLAG & alt_shift) != 0)
        myblock->col = alt_column; /* ALT = 3 (all suppressed) */
    else if ((KB_FLAG & ctrl_shift) != 0)
        myblock->col = ctrl_column; /* CTRL = 2 (all extended codes) */

    if ((KB_FLAG & (num_state)) != 0)
        myblock->scan_word = peekbcs(&kb_table[myblock->scan_code][1]);
    else
        myblock->scan_word = peekbcs(&kb_table[myblock->scan_code][myblock->col])<<8;

}
break;

case f1:
case f2:
case f3:
case f4:
case f5:
case f6:
case f7:
case f8:
case f9:
case f10:
case f11:
case f12:
    myblock->scan_word = translate_from_column(myblock->scan_code);
    if ((myblock->scan_word & 0xff00) == 0)
        myblock->scan_word = myblock->scan_word << 8;
    break;

default:
    myblock->scan_word = translate_from_column(myblock->scan_code);
    /* if not an extended code return */
    if((myblock->scan_word & 0xff00) == 0)
    {
        myblock->scan_byte = myblock->scan_word;
        /* caps lock correction */
        if((KB_FLAG & caps_state) != 0)
        {
            if (((myblock->scan_byte >= 'A') &&
                (myblock->scan_byte <= 'Z')) ||
                ((myblock->scan_byte >= 'a') &&
                (myblock->scan_byte <= 'z')))
                myblock->scan_byte ^= 0x20;
        }
        myblock->scan_word = (myblock->scan_code << 8) | myblock->scan_byte;
    }
    break;
}
break;
}

if(myblock->scan_word != -1) /* load scan word into buffer */
{
//-----
// increment the temporary tail pointer
myblock->temp = BUFFER_TAIL + 2;
// check for wrap-around and reset to start if needed
if (myblock->temp == BUFFER_END) myblock->temp = BUFFER_START;
// if overwrite will not happen, then store the scan word
if (myblock->temp != BUFFER_HEAD)
{
    poke40(BUFFER_TAIL,myblock->scan_word);
    // now update the tail
    BUFFER_TAIL = myblock->temp;
}
else
{
    beep();
}
//-----

/* read the in service register to see if eoi is needed */
outportb(0x20,0x0b);
if((inportb(0x20) & 0x02) != 0)
{
    outportb(0x20,0x20);
    enable_keyboard();
}
update_leds();
```

```

    release_block(myblock);
}

/*===== end of keyboard isr routine =====*/
unsigned translate_from_column(unsigned char scan_code)
{
    unsigned char col = 0;
    if ((KB_FLAG & alt_shift) != 0)
        return(peekbcs(&kb_table[scan_code][alt_column]) << 8);
    else
    {
        if ((KB_FLAG & ctl_shift) != 0) col = ctl_column; /* 2 */
        else
        {
            if ((KB_FLAG & (left_shift | right_shift)) != 0)
                col = shift_column; /* 1 */
        }
    }
    return (peekbcs(&kb_table[scan_code] [col]));
}

/*-----*/
assemble_alt_numeric(unsigned char scan_code)
{
    unsigned char code;
    code = peekbcs(&kb_table[scan_code] [1]);
    if ((code >= '0') && (code <='9'))
        (ALT_INPUT *= 10) + (code & 0x0f);
}

/*-- update the keyboard leds if state has changed --*/
void update_leds(void)
{
    if(((KB_FLAG & 0x70) >> 4) != (KB_FLAG_2 & 0x07))
    {
        // check update busy bit
        if ((KB_FLAG_2 & 0x40) == 0)
        {
            eoi_sequence();
            enable_keyboard();
            KB_FLAG_2 |= 0x40; // set update busy
            if(send_8042_data(0xed) == ok) // send the led command
            {
                delay_call(0,10000); // wait about 10 millisecs
                KB_FLAG_2 &= 0xf8; // build new led bits
                KB_FLAG_2 |= (KB_FLAG & 0x70) >> 4;
                eoi_sequence();
                enable_keyboard();
                // send the led code
                if(send_8042_data(KB_FLAG_2 & 0x07) != ok)
                {
                    // send enable if we had a tx error
                    send_8042_data(0xf4);
                }
            }
            KB_FLAG_2 &= ~0x40; // clear update busy
        }
        enable();
    }
}

void disable_keyboard()
{
    send_8042(0xad);
}

void enable_keyboard()
{
    send_8042(0xae);
}

/*=====

```



## S E V E N

### The Video Driver

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The Video Driver is used to operate the CRT display.

If a video adapter is not installed in a system, it is wise to retain the video function, and internally modify it to direct output to an alternate device. This permits character oriented video output (such as the "write\_tty" command) to retain PC compatibility during the development phases. As an example, the video driver might relay characters to a serial channel output routine, but the application could be exercised on a system with a video device installed.

Note: Screen flickering - some early generation video adapters do not have clean memory-write/refresh-read timing and flickering may be observed when updating the screen. Most of the currently available adapters, in our experience, seem to minimize this flickering effect. If you observe flickering, the general method to pursue to minimize this is to sample the horizontal re-trace status, (usually bit 0 of the status port, 3BA or 3DA), and write into display memory only when the adapter is in retrace (moving the blanked beam from right to left to start a new line). The vertical sync time can also be used for writing.

Note: 24 line scrolling - The standard Write-TTY function scrolls all 25 lines. A 24 line scroll may be a desirable option in order to maintain a "status" line at the bottom of the screen. This may be accomplished by modifying the Write-TTY function to either always scroll 24 (or 25) or to sense a flag (or variable) to determine how many lines should be scrolled.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT Bios crt driver
*
* Version: 1.03
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 10-20-89
*
* Filename: atcrt.c
*
* Language: MSC 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
*
* This driver manages the video display.
*
* Arguments:
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Corrected some get cursor position statements; added active page index to the
* peekb40(cursor_posn+(peekb40(active_page)<<1)) uses active page # as word index
* into cursor co-ordinates table in segment 40:50-5f.
* 1.02
* Added some graphics improvements
* 1.03
* Used typecast segment 40: variables
*****
/* INCLUDE FILES */
```

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```
#include "atkit.h"

/* FUNCTION PROTOTYPES */

void $iret(void);

unsigned video_setup(void);
void interrupt_cdecl far video_io(interrupt_registers);

extern void move_row (unsigned,unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
extern void clear_row (unsigned,unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
extern void move_graphics_row (
    unsigned,unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
extern void clear_graphics_row (
    unsigned,unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned check_mode(void);
void load_6845_byte(unsigned,unsigned char);
void load_6845_word(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned expand_byte(unsigned char,unsigned char);
void set_the_cursor_to_loc(unsigned);
void store_cursor_position(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned find_position(void);
void scroll_end(void);
unsigned swap(unsigned);
unsigned position(unsigned char,unsigned char);
unsigned rom_check(unsigned);
unsigned find_page_position(unsigned char);

/* GLOBAL VARIABLES */

extern unsigned redirect_flag;

/* GLOBAL CONSTANTS */

extern _video_io;

/* LOCAL DEFINITIONS */

#define cursor_posn 0x50

#define up          0
#define down        1
#define is_graphics 0x01
#define is_alpha     0x02

#define bell        0x07
#define backspace   0x08
#define carriage_return 0xd
#define line_feed   0xa

#define VIDEO_IO 0x10

#define color_address 0x03d4
#define mono_address 0x03b4
#define ega_address 0x03c0

/*== command equates ==*/

#define set_mode 0
#define set_cursor_shape 1
#define set_cursor_position 2
#define read_cursor_position 3
#define read_light_pen 4
#define set_active_page 5
#define scroll_up 6
#define scroll_down 7
#define read_ac_current 8
#define write_ac_current 9
#define write_c_current 10 /* 0A */
#define set_color 11 /* 0B */
#define write_pixel 12 /* 0C */
#define read_pixel 13 /* 0D */
#define write_tty 14 /* 0E */
#define return_video_state 15 /* 0F */
#define write_string 19 /* 13 */

/* LOCAL CONSTANTS */

/*----- constants -----*/

extern const unsigned char video_font[128][8];
extern const unsigned char mode_Table[8];
extern const unsigned char column_table[8];
extern const unsigned char video_parms[4][16];
```

```

// We do not use the length table in biostop.asm because it only has four entries.
const unsigned length_table[8] =
{
    2048,2048,4096,4096,16384,16384,16384,4096
};

/* P R O G R A M */

/*----- video setup -----*/
variables
end_variables video_setup_regs;

unsigned video_setup(void)
{
    video_setup_regs *myblock;
    myblock = acquire_block(VIDEO);

    /* reset any video cards */
    outportb(color_address + 4, 0);
    outportb(mono_address + 4, 1);
    inportb(mono_address + 6);
    inportb(color_address + 6);
    outportb(ega_address, 0);

    /* load vector for this routine */
    link_interrupt(0x10,&video_io);
    set_vector(0x10,bios_cs(),&video_parms[0]);
    // set default port address to color board
    // this is done in case we have an EGA
    ADDR_6845 = color_address;

    /* determine type of video */
    switch (EQUIP_FLAG & 0x0030)
    {
        case 0x30: /* monochrome */
            ADDR_6845 = mono_address;
            myblock -> ax = 0x0002;
            sys_int(0x10,myblock);

            break;

        case 0x00: /* none - assume color */
        case 0x20: /* cga 80 */
            myblock -> ax = 0x0003;
            sys_int(0x10,myblock);
            break;

        case 0x10: /* cga 40 */
            myblock -> ax = 0x0001;
            sys_int(0x10,myblock);
            break;
    }

    rom_check(0xc000);
    release_block(myblock);
    return(ok);
}

/*===
/*===== MAIN VIDEO ROUTINE =====*/
/*===

variables
unsigned i,j,reg_index,video_segment;
unsigned parm_segment,parm_offset,fill_word;
unsigned row,col,line_count;
unsigned char outchar;
unsigned temp,temp_cursor,fill_length;
end_variables video_regs;

void interrupt cdecl far video_io(interrupt_registers)
{
    video_regs *myblock;
    enable();

    myblock = acquire_block(VIDEO);

    if (ADDR_6845 != 0)
    {
        if (ADDR_6845 == mono_address)
        {
            myblock->video_segment = 0xb000; /* mono card */
        }
    }
}

```

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```
else
{
    myblock->video_segment = 0xb800;      /* color card */
}

switch (ax >> 8)
{
    /*=====
    /*== AH = 0 = set mode
    /*== AL = mode to be selected (0-9)
    /*==             ==*/
    /*=====

    case set_mode:
        if ((SWITCH_BYTE & 0x30) == 0x30)
        {
            CRT_MODE = 7; /* if mono, force mode 7 */
            ADDR_6845 = mono_address;
            myblock->video_segment = 0xb000;
        }
        else
        {
            ADDR_6845 = color_address;
            myblock->video_segment = 0xb800;

            if ((ax & 0xff) != 7)
                CRT_MODE = ax; /* if color, use selected mode */
            else
            {
                if ((SWITCH_BYTE & 0x30) == 0x20) CRT_MODE = 0; else CRT_MODE = 2;
            }
        }

        CRT_MODE_SET = peekbcs(&mode_table[CRT_MODE]);
        outportb((ADDR_6845) + 4, CRT_MODE_SET);

        myblock->parm_offset = peek(0x00,0x74);
        myblock->parm_segment = peek(0x00,0x76);

        if (CRT_MODE >=2) myblock->parm_offset += 16; /* 16 */
        if (CRT_MODE >=4) myblock->parm_offset += 16; /* 16+16 */
        if (CRT_MODE ==7) myblock->parm_offset += 16; /* 16+16+16 */

        CURSOR_MODE = swap(peek(myblock->parm_segment,(myblock->parm_offset+10)));

        for (myblock->reg_index=0;myblock->reg_index < 16;myblock->reg_index++)
        {
            load_6845_byte(myblock->reg_index,peekb(myblock->parm_segment,myblock->parm_offset+myblock->reg_index));
        }
        CRT_START = 0;
        ACTIVE_PAGE = 0; /* set active page to zero */

        /* enable video and correct port setting */
        outportb((ADDR_6845) + 4,peekbcs(&mode_table[CRT_MODE]));
        CRT_MODE_SET = peekbcs(&mode_table[CRT_MODE]);
        CRT_COLS = peekbcs(&column_table[CRT_MODE]);
        CRT_LENGTH = peekcs(&length_table[CRT_MODE]);

        for (myblock->i = 0; myblock->i < 8; myblock->i++)
            poke40(cursor_posn + myblock->i, 0); /* clear all cursor positions */

        if (CRT_MODE == 6) /* set palette register */
        {
            outportb((ADDR_6845) + 5,0x3f);
            CRT_PALETTE = 0x3f;
        }
        else
        {
            outportb((ADDR_6845) + 5,0x30);
            CRT_PALETTE = 0x30;
        }

        if (check_mode() == is_graphics)
            myblock->fill_word = 0;
        else
            myblock->fill_word = 0x0720;

        myblock->fill_length = 2 * CRT_LENGTH;
```

```

CURSOR_MODE = 0x0607;

for (myblock->i = 0; myblock->i < myblock->fill_length; myblock->i += 2) /* clear the screen */
{
    poke(myblock->video_segment, myblock->i, myblock->fill_word);
}

break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 1 = set the cursor shape
/*== CH = start line
/*== CL = stop line
/*=====
case set_cursor_shape:
    CURSOR_MODE = cx; load_6845_word(10,cx);
    break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 2 = set cursor position
/*== DH = row
/*== DL = column
/*== BH = page
/*=====
case set_cursor_position:
    poke40(cursor_posn+ ((bx >> 8) << 1), dx);
    if (ACTIVE_PAGE == (bx >> 8))
        load_6845_word(14,((CRT_START) +
            ((dx >> 8) * CRT_COLS) + (dx & 0xff) ) << 1) >>1 );
    break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 3 = read cursor position
/*== BH = page | DH = row
/*== DL = column
/*== CX = cursor mode
/*=====
case read_cursor_position:
    cx = CURSOR_MODE; dx = CURSOR_POSN + ((bx >> 8) << 1);
    break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 4 = read light pen position
/*== AH = 0 = no info
/*== AH = 1 = info
/*== DH = row
/*== DL = column
/*== CH = raster line
/*== BX = horz. position
/*=====
case read_light_pen:
    ax = ax & 0x00ff; /* set no light pen return code */
    break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 5 = set active page
/*== AL = active page #
/*=====

```

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```
/*=====
case set_active_page:
ACTIVE PAGE = ax;
CRT_START = CRT_LENGTH * (ax & 0x00ff);
dx = peek40(cursor_posn+((ax & 0x00ff) << 1));
load_6845_word(12,CRT_START / 2);
load_6845_word(14,(CRT_START +
(((dx >> 8) * CRT_COLS ) + (dx & 0xff) ) << 1 )
>>1 );
break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 6 = scroll up
/*== AL = # rows to scroll (0 = blank )
/*== CX = row,col of upper left corner
/*== DX = row,col of lower right corner
/*== BH = attribute for blanked line
/*==

case scroll_up:
if (check_mode() == is_graphics)
{
    if ((ax & 0xff) == 0) /* blank the field */
    {
        myblock->i = (dx >> 8) - (cx >> 8);
        for (myblock->line_count = 0; myblock->line_count <= myblock->i; myblock->line_count++)
        {
            for (myblock->row = (cx >> 8); myblock->row <= (dx >>8); myblock->row++)
            {
                clear_graphics_row(myblock->video_segment,
                    ((myblock->row * 320) + (cx & 0xff)),
                    (dx & 0xff) - (cx & 0xff) + 1,0);
            }
        }
    }
    else /* scroll the field */
    {
        /* i will = the # of rows to scroll */
        myblock->i = ax & 0xff;

        for (myblock->line_count = 0;myblock->line_count < myblock->i;myblock->line_count++)
        {
            for (myblock->row = (cx >> 8); myblock->row < (dx >>8); myblock->row++)
            {
                move_graphics_row(myblock->video_segment,
                    ((myblock->row + 1) * 320) + (cx & 0xff),
                    (myblock->row * 320) + (cx & 0xff),
                    (dx & 0xff) - (cx & 0xff)+1);
            }
            myblock->row = dx >> 8;
            clear_graphics_row(myblock->video_segment,
                (myblock->row * 320) + (cx & 0xff),
                (dx & 0xff) - (cx & 0xff) + 1,0);
        }
    }
}
else /* alpha mode scroll */
{
    if ((ax & 0xff) == 0) /* blank the field */
    {
        myblock->i = (dx >> 8) - (cx >> 8);
        for (myblock->line_count = 0; myblock->line_count <= myblock->i; myblock->line_count++)
        {
            for (myblock->row = (cx >> 8); myblock->row <= (dx >>8); myblock->row++)
            {
                clear_row(myblock->video_segment,
                    ((myblock->row * CRT_COLS ) + (cx & 0xff)) * 2,
                    (dx & 0xff) - (cx & 0xff) + 1,
                    (bx & 0xff00) | 0x20);
            }
        }
    }
    else /* scroll the field */
    {
        myblock->i = ax & 0xff;
        for (myblock->line_count = 0; myblock->line_count < myblock->i; myblock->line_count++)
        {
            for (myblock->row = (cx >> 8); myblock->row < (dx >>8); myblock->row++)
            {
                move_row(myblock->video_segment,
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```
myblock->row = cx >> 8;
clear_row(myblock->video_segment,
((myblock->row * CRT_COLS + (cx & 0xff))*2),
(dx & 0xff)-(cx & 0xff)+1,
((bx & 0xff00) | 0x20));
}
}

break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 8 = read attr and char at cursor ==
/*== BH = page # | AL = char ==
/*== for alpha only | AH = attrib ==
=====*/
case read_ac_current:
if (check_mode() == is_graphics)
{
for (myblock->j = 0; myblock->j < 128; myblock->j++)
{
myblock->temp = true;
for (myblock->i=0; myblock->i <= 7; myblock->i++)
{
/* if mode is 640 x 200 */
if(CRT_MODE == 6)
{
if(peekb(myblock->video_segment,
(myblock->row * 320) + ((myblock->i & 0xfe) * 40) + myblock->col +
((myblock->i & 1) * 0x2000)) != peekbcs(&video_font[ax & 0x007f][myblock->i]))
myblock->temp = false;
}
else /* 320 x 200 mode */
{
if(peek(myblock->video_segment,
(myblock->row * 320) + ((myblock->i & 0xfe) * 40) + (myblock->col * 2) + ((myblock->i & 1) *
0x2000)) !=
expand_byte(peekbcs(&video_font[ax & 0x007f][myblock->i]),3))
myblock->temp = false;
}
if (myblock->temp == true)
{
ax = (ax & 0xff00) | myblock->j;
break; /* get out with the find */
}
}
}
else /* --- alpha read --- */
{
ax = peek(myblock->video_segment,find_page_position(bx >> 8));
}
break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 9 = write attr and char at cursor ==
/*== BH = page # ==
/*== for alpha only ==
/*== CX = # write ==
/*== AL = character ==
/*== BL = attribute ==
=====*/
case write_ac_current:
if(check_mode() == is_graphics)
{
myblock->row = peekb40(cursor_posn+((bx >> 8) << 1) +1);
myblock->col = peekb40(cursor_posn+((bx >> 8) << 1));
for (myblock->i=0; myblock->i <= 7; myblock->i++)
{
/* if the mode is 640 x 200 */
if(CRT_MODE == 6)
{
pokeb(myblock->video_segment,
(myblock->row * 320) + ((myblock->i & 0xfe) * 40) +
myblock->col +
((myblock->i & 1) * 0x2000));
}
}
```

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        ((myblock->i & 1) * 0x2000),
        peekbcs(&video_font[ax & 0x007f] [myblock->i]));
    }
    else
    {
        /* if the mode is 320 x 200 */

        poke(myblock->video_segment,
            (myblock->row * 320) + ((myblock->i & 0xfe) * 40) +
            (myblock->col * 2) +
            ((myblock->i & 1) * 0x2000),
            expand_byte(peekbcs(&video_font[ax & 0x007f] [myblock->i]),
            bx & 0x83));
    }
}
else
{
    myblock->temp = find_page_position(bx >> 8);
    for (myblock->i = 0; myblock->i < cx; myblock->i++)
    {
        poke(myblock->video_segment,myblock->temp+(2 * myblock->i),((bx << 8) | (ax & 0xff)));
    }
}

break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 10 = write char at cursor position ==
/*== BH = page # ==
/*== for alpha only ==
/*== CX = # to write ==
/*== AL = character ==
/*=====
*/
case     write_c_current:
if(check_mode() == is_graphics)
{
    myblock->row = peekb40(cursor_posn+((bx >> 8) << 1)+1);
    myblock->col = peekb40(cursor_posn+((bx >> 8) << 1));
    for (myblock->i=0; myblock->i <= 7; myblock->i++)
    {
        /* if the mode is 640 x 200 */
        if(CRT_MODE == 6)
        {
            pokeb(myblock->video_segment,
                (myblock->row * 320) + ((myblock->i & 0xfe) * 40) +
                myblock->col +
                ((myblock->i & 1) * 0x2000),
                peekbcs(&video_font[ax & 0x007f] [myblock->i]));
        }
        else
        {
            /* if the mode is 320 x 200 */

            poke(myblock->video_segment,
                (myblock->row * 320) + ((myblock->i & 0xfe) * 40) +
                (myblock->col * 2) +
                ((myblock->i & 1) * 0x2000),
                expand_byte(peekbcs(&video_font[ax & 0x007f] [myblock->i]),3));
        }
    }
}
else
{
    myblock->temp = find_page_position(bx >> 8);
    for (myblock->i = 0; myblock->i < cx; myblock->i++)
    {
        pokeb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->temp + (2 * myblock->i),ax);
    }
}

break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 11 = set color for MRES graphics ==
/*== BH = 0 ==
/*== BL = background color ==
/*=====
*/

```

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```
/*==*
/*== BH = 1          ===*/
/*==     BL = palette select   ===*/
/*==                         ===*/
/*=====*/
case set_color:
/* get current palette value */
if((bx >> 8) == 0) /* this is color 0 */
{
    /* turn off low 5 bits of current color */
    CRT_PALETTE &= 0xe0;
    CRT_PALETTE |= (bx & 0x1f);
    /* turn off high three bits of input */
}
else /* select palette */
{
    CRT_PALETTE &= 0xdf; /* turn off palette select bit */
    if((bx & 0x01) != 0)
        CRT_PALETTE |= 0x20; /* turn on palette select bit */
}
outportb((ADDR_6845) + 5,CRT_PALETTE);
break;

/*=====*/
/*== AH = 12 = write pixel      ===*/
/*==                         ===*/
/*== DX = row 0-199           ===*/
/*== CX = column 0-639          ===*/
/*== AL = pixel value (1 or 2 bits) ===*/
/*==     bit 7 = 1 = XOR lower bits ===*/
/*==                         ===*/
/*=====*/
case write_pixel:
/* calc row address for even/odd */
myblock->row = dx * 40 + ((dx & 1) * (0x2000-40));
if(CRT_MODE == 6) /* write one 1 bit */
{
    /* col variable is used for bit mask */
    myblock->col = 1 << (cx % 8);
    /* calc address for 1 bit in 8 */
    myblock->row += cx / 8;

    pokeb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->row,((peekb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->row)
& ~myblock->col) |
((ax & 0x0001) << (cx % 8))));

}
else /* write 2 bits */
{
    /* col variable is used for bit mask */
    myblock->col = 3 << (cx % 4);

    /* calc address for 2 bits in 8 */
    myblock->row += cx/4;

    pokeb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->row,((peekb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->row)
& ~myblock->col) |
((ax & 0x0003) << (cx % 4))));

}
break;

/*=====*/
/*== AH = 13 = read pixel       ===*/
/*==                         ===*/
/*== DX = row 0-199           ===*/
/*== CX = column 0-639          ===*/
/*==     AL = pixel             ===*/
/*==                         ===*/
/*=====*/
case read_pixel:
/* calc row address for even/odd */
myblock->row = dx * 40 + ((dx & 1) * (0x2000-40));

if(CRT_MODE == 6) /* read one 1 bit */
{
    /* calc address for 1 bit in 8 */
```

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myblock->row += cx/8;
ax = (ax & 0xff00) |
((peekb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->row) >> (cx % 8)) & 1);
}
else /* read 2 bits */
{
/* calc address for 2 bits in 8 */
myblock->row += cx/4;
ax = (ax & 0xff00) |
((peekb(myblock->video_segment,myblock->row) >> (cx % 4)) & 3);
}

break;

/*=====
==== AH = 14 = write tty
==== AL = character to write
==== BL = foreground color in graphics
==== use active page
=====*/
case write_tty:
if(redirect_flag != 0)
{
myblock -> ax = ax & 0x00ff;
myblock -> dx = 0;
sys_int(0x17,myblock);
}
/* get current cursor */
myblock->row = peekb40(cursor_posn + (ACTIVE_PAGE << 1)+1);
myblock->col = peekb40(cursor_posn + (ACTIVE_PAGE << 1));
switch (ax & 0x00ff)
{
case bell:
beep();
break;

case backspace:
if (myblock->col !=0) myblock->col--;
break;

case carriage_return:
myblock->col = 0;
break;

case line_feed:
if (myblock->row == 24)
{
/* find the fill attribute */
myblock -> ax = 0x0800;
// set bh to active page
myblock -> bx = ACTIVE_PAGE;
myblock -> bx = myblock -> bx << 8;
sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
// Set bh to Blank line attribute
myblock -> bx = (myblock -> ax & 0xff00);

myblock -> ax = 0x0601; /* scroll call */
myblock -> cx = 0;
myblock -> dx = (24 << 8) | (CRT_COLS - 1);
sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
}
else
{
myblock->row++;
}
break;

default: /* any other character */

myblock -> ax = (write_c_current << 8) | (ax & 0x00ff);
myblock -> bx = ACTIVE_PAGE;
myblock -> bx = myblock -> bx << 8;
myblock -> cx = 1;
sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
}

```

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```
myblock->col++;
if (myblock->col >= CRT_COLS)
{
    myblock->col = 0;
    if (myblock->row == 24)
    {
        /* find the fill attribute */
        myblock -> ax = 0x0800;
        myblock -> bx = ACTIVE_PAGE;
        myblock -> bx = myblock -> bx << 8;
        sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
        myblock -> bx = (myblock -> ax & 0xff00);

        myblock -> ax = 0x0601;
        myblock -> cx = 0;
        myblock -> dx = (24 << 8) | (CRT_COLS - 1);
        sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
    }
    else
    {
        myblock->row++;
    }
}
break;

myblock->temp = (myblock->row << 8) | (myblock->col & 0x00ff);
poke40(cursor_posn+((ACTIVE_PAGE) << 1),myblock->temp);

load 6845 word(14,(CRT_START +
((myblock->row * CRT_COLS) + myblock->col ) << 1) >>1 );

break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 15 = return video state
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*=====*/

case return_video_state:

ax = (CRT_COLS << 8) | CRT_MODE;
bx = (bx & 0x00ff) | (ACTIVE_PAGE << 8);

break;

/*=====
/*== AH = 19 = write string
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
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/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*==          ==*/
/*=====*/

case write_string:

/* if count > 0 and opcode 0-3 */
if ((cx != 0) && ((ax & 0x00ff) <= 3))
{
    /* save current cursor for this page */
    myblock->temp_cursor = peek40(cursor_posn+(bx >> 8)<<1);

    /* set cursor to callers position */
    myblock -> ax = (set_cursor_position << 8);
    myblock -> dx = dx;
    myblock -> bx = bx;
    sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
    myblock->row = myblock -> dx >> 8;
    myblock->col = myblock ->dx & 0x00ff;
```

```

for (myblock->i = 0; myblock->i < cx; myblock->i++)
{
    myblock->outchar = peekb(es,bp+myblock->i);

    if ((myblock->outchar == backspace) ||
        (myblock->outchar == carriage_return) ||
        (myblock->outchar == line_feed))
    {
        myblock -> ax = (write_tty << 8) | myblock->outchar;
        myblock -> bx = bx;
        sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
        myblock->row = (peek40(cursor_posn+(bx >> 8)<<1)) >> 8;
        myblock->col = peek40(cursor_posn+(bx >> 8)<<1);
    }
    else
    {
        myblock -> cx = 1;
        myblock -> bx = bx;
        if (ax & 0x00ff > 2)
        {
            myblock -> bx = peekb(es,bp);
            bp++;
        }
        myblock -> ax = (write_ac_current << 8) | myblock->outchar;
        sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
        myblock->col++;
        if (myblock->col >> (CRT_COLS))
        {
            myblock->row++;
            if (myblock->row >= 25)
            {
                myblock->col = 0;
                myblock -> ax = (write_tty << 8) | line_feed;
                sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
                myblock->row--;
            }
        }
        /* update cursor */
        myblock -> ax = (set_cursor_position << 8);
        myblock -> dx = (myblock->row << 8) | myblock->col;
        sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
    }
    /* restore original cursor */
    if ((ax & 1) == 0)
    {
        poke40((cursor_posn + ((bx >>8) << 1)),myblock->temp_cursor);
        myblock -> ax = (set_cursor_position << 8);
        myblock -> dx = myblock->temp_cursor;
        sys_int(VIDEO_IO,myblock);
    }
}
break;

/*=====
/*==*
/*== default case for invalid opcodes ==*/
/*==*
/*=====*/
}

release_block(myblock);
}

/*=====
/*==*
/*== SUPPORTING FUNCTIONS ==*/
/*==*
/*=====*/
// find position - returns offset page*row*col
unsigned find_position()
{
    return(find_page_position(ACTIVE_PAGE));
}

unsigned find_page_position(unsigned char page)
{
    unsigned temp,length;
    unsigned char row,col;
    temp = peek40(cursor_posn + (page << 1));
    row = temp >> 8;
    col = temp;
}

```

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```
length = CRT_LENGTH;
temp = length * page;
return(temp + position(row,col));
}

/*-
**-- calc buffer address of character at AX = row,col
**-- returns ax offset of character in buffer
*/
unsigned position(unsigned char row,unsigned char col)
{
    return(((row * CRT_COLS)+col)<<1);
}

/*-
**-- scroll end
*/
void scroll_end()
{
    if (CRT_MODE != 7) outportb(0x3d8,CRT_MODE_SET);
}

/*-
**-- convert cursor position to buffer offset
*/
unsigned cursor_to_offset()
{
    return(((peek40(cursor_posn) >> 8) * CRT_COLS * 4) + CURSOR_POSN & 0x0ff);
}

/*-
**-- convert input row-col to buffer offset
*/
/* input is row,col position */
unsigned calc_offset(unsigned input)
{
    return(((input >> 8) * CRT_COLS * 4) + input & 0x0ff);
}

/*-
**-- return alpha or graphics mode flag
*/
unsigned check_mode()
{
    if ((CRT_MODE >= 4) && (CRT_MODE <= 6)) return(is_graphics);
    return(is_alpha);
}

/*-
**-- expand the byte for medium res.
**-- double the input byte to an output integer
*/
unsigned expand_byte(unsigned char the_byte, unsigned char color)
{
    register temp = 0;
    unsigned char mask = 0x80;
    while (mask != 0)
    {
        temp = temp << 2;
        if (((the_byte & mask) != 0)
            if ((color & 0x80) == 0)
                temp |= (color & 0x03);
            else
                temp ^= (color & 0x03);
        mask = mask >> 1;
    }
    return(((temp >> 8) & 0x00ff) | ((temp <<8 ) & 0xff00));
}

/*-----*/
/*-
**-- load a word into the 6845 reg 'n' and 'n'+1
**-- -----
*/
void load_6845_word (unsigned address,unsigned value)
{
    load_6845_byte(address, value >> 8);
    load_6845_byte(address + 1, value);
}
```

```
/*-----*/
/*--  load a byte into the 6845 reg 'n'     --*/
/*-----*/
/*-----*/
void load_6845_byte(unsigned address,unsigned char value)
{
    outportb(ADDR_6845,address);
    outportb((ADDR_6845 + 1),value);
}

unsigned swap(unsigned aword)
{
    return((aword >> 8) | (aword << 8));
}
```



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### The Floppy Disk Driver

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The Floppy Disk Driver is used to operate the floppy disk.

This driver structure has been organized to support up to four (4) floppy disk drives. The normal AT style disk controller does not provide the motor and select logic to do so. Two possible options are to:

1. Install a second controller at an alternate address and sense which port address should be referenced for each drive. This would entail declaring a "port" variable which would be used on the inport and outport commands.
2. Install a controller which does support four drive configurations. If such a controller is not commercially available, one may design and construct such a device by duplicating the standard functions and adding the required motor and select logic. Since newer LSI based floppy disk controllers (such as the Intel 82072) simplify this task, one may wish to consider this alternative.

Presuming that the new perpendicular-recording 4 Mbyte floppy disk drives will become desired options, the disk parameter tables are organized for easy expansion. By inspecting the defined tables in the source file, one will observe that some entries are already included for the 4 Mb drives. Take note that these drive parameters (and the 4Mb drives) have not been installed or tested on the Bios development system, so that some additional development work will be required to implement the 4 Mb drive type.

The standard location in the CMOS RAM for storing the drive types for Drive A: and B: is cell 10 hex. We have chosen the "reserved" cell 11 hex for storing the type byte for floppy Drives C: and D:. If these should conflict with some other use, they may be re-assigned as you wish.

For those of you who are creating diskless systems, our Annabooks PromKit publication provides additional information on how the standard floppy disk driver may be replaced / chained / enhanced so a different physical device may be used for a logical floppy disk.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios enhanced floppy disk driver
* Version: 1.02
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: atdisk.c
* Functional Description:
* Arguments:
* Return:
* Version History:
* 1.01
```

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```
* Moved misplaced parm table entry for 720k drive from index 2 to index 3
* 1.02
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
* Moved variables to myblock
*
*****
```

```
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */

void fdisk_setup(void);
void interrupt cdecl far disk_io(void);
void interrupt cdecl far disk_isr(void);

unsigned char send_fdc(unsigned char);
void send_rate(unsigned);
unsigned Retry(unsigned);
unsigned char med_change(unsigned);
unsigned char calc_sectors(unsigned);
unsigned char cmos_type(unsigned char);
unsigned char get_parm(unsigned,unsigned char);
unsigned char wait_int(void);
unsigned recal(unsigned);
unsigned char seek(unsigned);
void wait_for_head(unsigned);
unsigned char read_id(unsigned);
unsigned char get_fdc_status(unsigned);
unsigned char read_dskchng(unsigned);
unsigned char results(void);
unsigned char chk_stat_2(void);
void send_specify_command(unsigned);
void FDC_Reset(unsigned);
void delay_call(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned char dma_setup(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
void purge_fdc(void);
unsigned char fdc_init(unsigned);

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */

extern _disk_io;
extern _disk_isr;

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */

#define FDC_STATUS 0x42
#define DISK_ID 0x90 /* hold drive/media type */
#define LAST_TRACK 0x94 /* 94-97 holds last track number */

#define RATE_500 0x00
#define RATE_300 0x01
#define RATE_250 0x02
#define RATE_1000 0x03
#define INT_FLAG_BIT7 0x03
#define MOTOR_WAIT 0x25

#define BAD_CMD 0x01
#define BAD_ADDR_MARK 0x02
#define WRITE_PROTECT 0x03
#define RECORD_NOT_FND 0x04
#define MEDIA_CHANGE 0x06
#define BAD_DMA 0x08
#define DMA_BOUNDARY 0x09
#define MED_NOT_FND 0x0c
#define BAD_CRC 0x10
#define BAD_FDC 0x20
#define BAD_SEEK 0x40
#define TIME_OUT 0x80

/* function code definitions */

#define RESET 0x00
#define READ_STATUS 0x01
#define READ_SECTORS 0x02
#define WRITE_SECTORS 0x03
#define VERIFY_SECTORS 0x04
#define FORMAT_TRACK 0x05
#define DISK_PARMS 0x08
#define DISK_TYPE 0x15
#define DISK_CHANGE 0x16
#define FORMAT_SET 0x17
#define SET_MEDIA 0x18
```

```

#define BAD_FUNCTION 0x19
#define TRY 0xff

/* FDC port definitions */

#define DOR_PORT 0x3f2
#define MSR_PORT 0x3f4
#define DATA_PORT 0x3f5
#define DIR_PORT 0x3f7
#define DRR_PORT 0x3f7

#define RQM_BIT7
#define DIO_BIT6
#define BUSY_BIT4
#define DSKCHANGE_BIT BIT7

/* DMA port definitions */

#define DMA_MASK 0x0a
#define DMA_MODE 0x0b
#define DMA_FLFF 0x0c
#define DMA_ADR 0x04
#define DMA_BASE 0x05
#define DMA_PAGE 0x81

/* DMA literal definitions */

#define DMA_ON 0x02
#define DMA_OFF 0x06
#define DMA_RX_MODE 0x46
#define DMA_TX_MODE 0x4a
#define DMA_VRFY_MODE 0x42
#define TX_DIR 0x01
#define RX_DIR 0x00

/* FDC commands */

#define FDC_READ 0xe6
#define FDC_WRITE 0xc5
#define FDC_FORMAT 0x4d
#define FDC_READID 0xa4

/*==== These are the floppy disk parameter tables =====
*
* The tables are organized as an Array of up to 8 Drive types, each supporting up to 8 media types.
* Each item is 16 bytes long
*
*/
/* DISK TABLE indexes */

#define DT_SPEC1 0 // specify command 1
#define DT_SPEC2 1 // specify command 2
#define DT_OFF_TIM 2 // motor off count
#define DT_BYT_SEC 3 // bytes/sector
#define DT_SEC_TRK 4 // sectors/track
#define DT_GAP5 5 // gap
#define DT_DTL 6 // dtl
#define DT_GAP3 7 // gap 3 for format command
#define DT_FIL_BYT 8 // fill byte for format command
#define DT_HD_TIM 9 // head settle time
#define DT_STR_TIM 10 // motor start time
#define DT_MAX_TRK 11 // max # of tracks for drive
#define DT_RATE 12 // data rate
#define DT_TYPE // drive and media type (not used)
#define DT_STEP 14 // double step flag

#define drive_established 0x08
#define drive_field 0x07
#define drive_none 00
#define drive_360 01
#define drive_12 02
#define drive_720 03
#define drive_14 04
#define drive_28 05

#define media_established 0x80
#define media_field 0x70
#define media_none 0x00
#define media_360 0x10
#define media_12 0x20
#define media_720 0x30
#define media_14 0x40
#define media_28 0x50
// media definitions for transition table

```

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```
#define m_none 0x0
#define m_360 0x1
#define m_12 0x2
#define m_720 0x3
#define m_14 0x4
#define m_28 0x5

#define m_wait 0x25

/* LOCAL CONSTANTS */

const unsigned char transition_table[8][4] = {
// This table covers the sequence of media type to try for
// each drive type in establishing the media in the drive.
// The media is defaulted to the first item in this table
// for a particular drive type. When we attempt retries, we
// step through the possible media types until we come
// to "none" marking the end of the table.

/* drive type 0 (None) */ {m_none,m_none,m_none,m_none},
/* drive type 1 ( 360) */ {m_360,m_none,m_none,m_none},
/* drive type 2 ( 1.2) */ {m_12,m_360,m_none,m_none},
/* drive type 3 ( 720) */ {m_720,m_none,m_none,m_none},
/* drive type 4 (1.44) */ {m_14,m_720,m_none,m_none},
/* drive type 5 (2.88) */ {m_28,m_14,m_720,m_none},
/* drive type 6 unused */ {m_none,m_none,m_none,m_none},
/* drive type 7 unused */ {m_none,m_none,m_none,m_none},
};

const unsigned char fdisk_table[8][8][16] = {
/* this entry is for compatibility with the XT disk driver */
{
/* ---- drive type 0 = None (Default to 360) ----*/
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,39,RATE_250,drive_360|media_360,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}, /* 15,8,39,RATE_250,drive_360|media_360,0,0 */
}, /* ---- drive type 1 = 360 ----*/
/* 0 = no media in 360 kb drive */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}, /* 15,8,39,RATE_250,drive_360|media_360,0,0 */
/* 1 = 360 kb media in 360 kb drive */
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,39,RATE_250,drive_360|media_360,0,0},
/* 2-7 not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}, /* 15,8,39,RATE_250,drive_360|media_360,0,0 */
}, /* ---- drive type 2 = 1.2 -----*/
/* 0 = no media in 1.2 mb drive */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}, /* 15,8,39,RATE_300 ,drive_12|media_360,1,0 */
/* 1 = 360 kb media in 1.2 mb drive */
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,39,RATE_300 ,drive_12|media_360,1,0},
/* 2 = 1.2 mb media in 1.2 mb drive */
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,15,0x1b,-1,0x54,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_12|media_12,0,0},
/* 3-7 = not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}, /* 15,8,39,RATE_500 ,drive_12|media_12,0,0 */
}, /* ---- drive type 3 = 720 ----- */
/* 0 = no media in 720 kb drive */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}, /* 15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_12|media_12,0,0 */
/* 1 = 360 kb media in 720 kb drive */
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_12|media_12,0,0},
/* 2 = 1.2 mb media in 720 kb drive */
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,15,0x1b,-1,0x54,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_12|media_12,0,0},
/* 3 = 720 kb media in 720 kb drive */
{0x0af,2,m_wait,2,15,0x1b,-1,0x54,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_12|media_12,0,0}
};
```

```

/* 0 = no media in 720 kb drive */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},

/* 1-2 = not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},

/* 3 = 720 kb media in 720 kb drive */
{0xaf,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_250 ,drive_720|media_720,0,0},

/* 4-7 = not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
},

{
/* ---- drive type 4 = 1.44 -----*/
/* 0 = no media in 1.44 mb drive */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},

/* 1-2 = not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},

/* 3 = 720 kb media in 1.44 mb drive */
{0xaf,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_250 ,drive_14|media_720,0,0},

/* 4 = 1.44 kb media in 1.44 mb drive */
{0xaf,2,m_wait,2,18,0x1b,-1,0x6c,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_14|media_14,0,0},

/* 5-7 = not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
},

{
/*---- drive type 5 = 2.88 -----*/
// The 2.88 Meg drives have not been tested.
// These tables are included as a help to integrating 2.88 drives into your system.
// The correct parameters must be determined in conjunction with the drive manufacturers
// specifications.

/* 0 = no media in 2.88 mb drive */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},

/* 1-2 not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},

/* 3 = 720 kb media in 2.88 mb drive */
{0xaf,2,m_wait,2,9,0x2a,-1,0x50,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_250 ,drive_28|media_720,0,0},

/* 4 = 1.44 kb media in 2.88 mb drive */
{0xaf,2,m_wait,2,18,0x1b,-1,0x6c,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_500 ,drive_28|media_14,0,0},

/* 5 = 2.88 kb media in 2.88 mb drive */
{0xaf,2,m_wait,2,36,0x1b,-1,0x53,0x0f6,15,8,79,RATE_1000,drive_28|media_28,0,0},

/* 6-7 not used */
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
},

{
/*---- drive type 6 = reserved -----*/
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
},

{
/*---- drive type 7 = reserved -----*/

```

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```
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
{0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},  
},  
};  
  
/* P R O G R A M */  
/*********************************************  
*  
* FOSCO Enhanced Floppy Disk Driver  
*  
* Copyright FOSCO 1988, 1989  
*  
*******************************************/  
/*  
  
This driver uses a drive/media id byte as follows:  
  
bit 7 0/1 = media not established / established  
  
bit 6-4 media type  
000 = no established media  
001 = 360 (40/80 track)  
010 = 1.2 (80 track)  
011 = 720 (80 track)  
100 = 1.4 (80 track)  
101 = 2.8 (80 track)  
110 - 111 reserved  
  
bit 3 = 0/1 = drive not established / established  
  
bit 2-0 Drive type  
000 no established drive type  
001 = 360 (40 track)  
010 = 1.2 (80 track)  
011 = 720 (80 track)  
100 = 1.4 (80 track)  
101 = 2.8 (80 track)  
110 - 111 reserved  
  
The drive/media bytes are located at 40:90-93 for up to four drives.*/  
/*********************************************  
/*----- START OF CODE -----*/  
/*********************************************  
  
variables  
unsigned char fd_drive_type;  
unsigned char fd_state;  
unsigned char fd_fdc_command;  
unsigned char fd_dma_command;  
unsigned char fd_sector_track;  
unsigned char fd_media_type;  
unsigned char fd_fcode;  
unsigned char fd_drive;  
unsigned char fd_nr_sectors;  
unsigned char fd_head;  
unsigned char fd_sector;  
unsigned char fd_track;  
unsigned fd_max_track;  
unsigned fd_max_sectors;  
unsigned fd_i;  
unsigned fd_try_count;  
unsigned fd_media_index;  
unsigned char end_track,end_head,end_sector,num_sectors,sectors_track;  
unsigned dma_address;  
unsigned long lcheck;  
unsigned nibble,upper_byte,lower_byte,length;  
unsigned char error_byte,time_out_flag;  
end_variables fdisk_regs;  
  
/*----- setup the controller -----*/  
  
void fdisk_setup ()  
{  
    fdisk_regs *myblock;  
    myblock = acquire_block(FLOPPY);  
    link_interrupt(0x13,&_disk_io);
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link interrupt(0x0e,&disk_isr);
set_vector(0x1e,bios_CS(),&fdisk_table[0][0][0]);

outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~BIT6); // unmask int's
SEEK_STATUS = 0; /* clear seek status */
MOTOR_COUNT = 0; /* clear motor count */
MOTOR_STATUS = 0; /* clear motor status */
DISK_STATUS = 0; /* clear disk status */

HF_CTRNL |= 1;
RTC_WAIT_FLAG |= 1;
pokeb40(DISK_ID+0,0); /* clear drive 0 state */
pokeb40(DISK_ID+1,0); /* clear drive 1 state */
pokeb40(DISK_ID+2,0); /* clear drive 2 state */
pokeb40(DISK_ID+3,0); /* clear drive 3 state */

pokeb40(DISK_ID+0,cmos_type(0));
pokeb40(DISK_ID+1,cmos_type(1));
pokeb40(DISK_ID+2,cmos_type(2));
pokeb40(DISK_ID+3,cmos_type(3));

RTC_WAIT_FLAG &= 0xfe; /* allow for rtc wait */
MOTOR_COUNT = get_parm(myblock,2); /* set motor count */

myblock -> dx = 0x0000;
myblock -> ax = 0x0000; /* reset the FDC */
sys_int(0x13,myblock);
release_block(myblock);
}

/*=====
=====
===== BEGINNING OF MAIN ROUTINES =====
=====
=====*/
/* handle the floppy disk function service call */
void interrupt cdecl far disk_io(interrupt_registers)
{
    fdisk_regs *myblock;
    // disable(); // some XT type disk controllers will pre-enable
    myblock = acquire_block(FLOPPY);
    // enable();

    snapshot_in(FLOPPY,&es);

    myblock->fd_fcode = ax >> 8;
    myblock->fd_drive = dx & 0x00ff;
    myblock->fd_nr_sectors = ax & 0x00ff;
    myblock->fd_head = dx >> 8;
    myblock->fd_sector = cx & 0x00ff;
    myblock->fd_track = cx >> 8;

    flags &= ~0x0001; /* clear the carry flag for returns */

    DISK_STATUS = 0; /* clear status */

    if (((ax >> 8) != 0) && ((dx & 0x00ff) > 3))
    { // bad function code because of drive number
        DISK_STATUS = BAD_CMD; ax = (BAD_CMD << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
        flags |= 1; /* set return error-flag */
    }
    else
    {
        /* make sure any residual status is unloaded */
        purge_fdc();
        /* set the data rate register to a default value */
        outportb(DRR_PORT,RATE_250);

        switch (myblock->fd_fcode)
        {
            case RESET : /* reset the disk controller */
                watch_string(FLOPPY,"Reset");
                FDC_reset(myblock);
                ax = (DISK_STATUS << 8) || (ax & 0xff);
                if ((ax & 0xffff) != 0) flags |= 1;
                break;

            case READ_STATUS:
                watch_string(FLOPPY,"Read Status");
                ax = DISK_STATUS << 8;
                if ((ax & 0xffff) != 0) flags |= 1;
                break;
        }
    }
}

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```
case READ_SECTORS: /* read sectors */
watch_string(FLOPPY, "Read sectors");
MOTOR_STATUS &= ~INT_FLAG;
myblock->fd_fdc_command = FDC_READ;
myblock->fd_dma_command = DMA_RX_MODE;
goto read_write_verify;

case WRITE_SECTORS:
watch_string(FLOPPY, "Write sectors");
MOTOR_STATUS |= 0x80;
myblock->fd_fdc_command = FDC_WRITE;
myblock->fd_dma_command = DMA_TX_MODE;
goto read_write_verify;

case VERIFY_SECTORS:
watch_string(FLOPPY, "Verify sectors");
MOTOR_STATUS &= ~INT_FLAG;
myblock->fd_fdc_command = FDC_READ;
myblock->fd_dma_command = DMA_VRFY_MODE;
goto read_write_verify;

read_write_verify:
// if a media change sensed, then de-establish media
if (med_change(myblock) == error)
{
    andb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive, 0x0f);
    myblock->fd_media_index = 0;
}
myblock->fd_try_count = 3;
do // this is the major loop, try the major operation 3 times
{
    watch_string(FLOPPY, "\n\rMajor Loop");

    // if media not established, then set media type = drive type
    // set media_index = 0, set media type by index

    if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & media_established) == 0)
    {
        // set the media index for the first possible type of media
        myblock->fd_drive_type = peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07;

        // set the DISK_ID with the first media type to try
        pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive, (peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) &
            ~media_field) |
            (peekbcs(&transition_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][0]) << 4));
        // set the media type according to the drive type [index = 0]
        myblock->fd_media_type = (peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) >> 4) & 0x07;
    }
    do // this is the minor loop
    // do until we run out of retries
    {

        watch_string(FLOPPY, " Minor Loop ");
        purge_fdc(); /* make sure any residual status is unloaded */

        // set up drive and media indexes before doing the dma setup,
        // which needs to know how many bytes per sector for calcng xfr length
        myblock->fd_drive_type = peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07;
        myblock->fd_media_type = (peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) >> 4) & 0x07;
        watch_string(FLOPPY, " Disk ID byte = ");
        watch_byte(FLOPPY, peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive));

        if (dma_setup(myblock, es, bx) == ok)
        {
            /* send the specify command */
            send_fdc(3);
            send_fdc(get_parm(myblock, 0));
            send_fdc(get_parm(myblock, 1));

            send_rate(myblock);

            if (fdc_init(myblock) == ok)
            {
                if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_track) == ok)
                {
                    if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_head) == ok)
                    {
                        if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_sector) == ok)
                        {
                            if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock, 3)) == ok)
                            {
                                if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock, 4)) == ok)
                                {
                                    if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock, 5)) == ok)

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```

        {
            if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,6)) == ok)
            {
                if(get_fdc_status(myblock) == ok)
                {
                    orb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,media_established); break; // get out with good
                }
            }
        }
    }

    while (retry(myblock) == error);
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rDISK STATUS = ");watch_byte(FLOPPY,DISK_STATUS);
}

while ((--myblock->fd_try_count > 0) &&
       ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & media_established) == 0) &&
       ((DTSK_STATUS & TIME_OUT) != TIME_OUT));
ax = (DISK_STATUS << 8) | (calc_sectors(myblock));
if ((ax & 0xff00) != 0) flags |= 1;
break;

case FORMAT_TRACK : /* format track */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Format track");
myblock->fd_fdc_command = FDC_FORMAT;
myblock->fd_dma_command = DMA_TX_MODE;
// if media_not_established, then set media type = drive type
if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & media_established) == 0)
    pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,
             (peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07) |
             ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07) << 4));

MOTOR_STATUS |= 0x80; /* indicate write operation */
if (med_change(myblock) == ok) /* check for media change */
{
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rNo media change");
    send_fdc(3); /* send specify command */
    send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,0));
    send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,1));
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rSpecify Command Sent");
    send_rate(myblock);
    if (dma_setup(myblock,es,bx) == ok)
    {
        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rDma Setup ok");
        if (fdc_init(myblock) == ok)
        {
            watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rFDC Init ok");
            if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,3)) == ok)
            {
                watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rSent parm 3");
                if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,4)) == ok)
                {
                    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rSent parm 4");
                    if (send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,7)) == ok)
                    {
                        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rSent parm 7");
                        send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,8)); /* send command */
                        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rfDC Commands all sent");

                        get_fdc_status(myblock);
                        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rfDC status rx'd");
                    }
                }
            }
        }
    }
}

ax = DISK_STATUS << 8;
if ((ax & 0xff00) != 0) flags |= 1;
break;

case DISK_PARMS : /* read drive parameters */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Read disk parms");
ax = bx = cx = dx = es = 0; /* reset all registers */
if (myblock->fd_drive > 0x80)
{
    ax = (ax & 0xff) | (BAD_CMD << 8); flags |= 1; /* set return error flag */
}

```

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```
else
{
    if ((EQUIP_FLAG & 0x01) != 0) /* there are drives present */
    {
        di = dx; // save old dx temporarily
        dx = EQUIP_FLAG >> 6;
        /* return # of drives in dx */
        if (di > dx) /* called for a non-existent drive */
            di = 0; /* return with null parameters */
        else
        {
            di = 0;
            if (cmos_type(myblock->fd_drive) != 0) /* get parms for this type */
            {
                myblock->fd_drive_type = myblock->fd_media_type = cmos_type(myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07;

                di = &fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_media_type][0];
                myblock->fd_sector_track = peekbcs(&fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_media_type][DT_SEC_TRK]);
                myblock->fd_max_track = peekbcs(&fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_media_type][DT_MAX_TRK]);
                cx = ((myblock->fd_max_track << 8) & 0xff00) | (myblock->fd_sector_track & 0x3f);
                dx = (1 << 8) | dx;
                bx = cmos_type(myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07;
                es = bios_cs(); // needs to be our code segment
            }
        }
    }
    break;
}

case DISK_TYPE : /* read disk type */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Read disk type");

ax &= 0x00ff; /* no drive */

if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & drive_field) != drive_none)
{
    if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & drive_field) == drive_360)
    {
        ax |= 0x0100; /* 40 track, no change line */
    }
    else
    {
        ax |= 0x0200; /* 80 track, change line */
    }
}
break;

case DISK_CHANGE : /* return change line condition */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Read disk change line");
/* if no drive - then return a timeout condition */
if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & drive_field) == drive_none)
{
    DISK_STATUS |= TIME_OUT;
}
else
{
    /* if 360 k drive - always return disk change */
    if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & drive_field) == drive_360)
        DISK_STATUS = MEDIA_CHANGE;
    else
        /* if 720, 1.4, or 2.8 drive - read the change line */
        if (read_dskchng(myblock) != 0)
            DISK_STATUS = MEDIA_CHANGE;
}
ax = (DISK_STATUS << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
if ((ax & 0xff00) != 0) flags |= 1;
break;

case FORMAT_SET : /* set disk type */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Set disk type");

/* set drive to requested format/media */
myblock->fd_drive_type = peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07;

switch (ax & 0x00ff) /* use requested type for switch */
{
    case 1: /* 360/360 */
        if(myblock->fd_drive_type == drive_360)
            pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,media_360 | drive_360 | media_established);
        break;

    case 2: /* 360/1.2 */
        if(myblock->fd_drive_type == drive_12)
            pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,media_360 | drive_12 | media_established);
        break;
}
```

```

break;

case 3: /* 1.2/1.2 */
if(myblock->fd_drive_type == drive_12)
pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,7media_12 | drive_12 | media_established));
break;

case 4: /* 720/720 */
if(myblock->fd_drive_type == drive_720)
pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,7media_720 | drive_720 | media_established));
break;

default:
DISK_STATUS = BAD_CMD; /* bad command */
break;
}
ax = (DISK_STATUS << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
if ((ax & 0xff00) != 0) flags |= 1;
break;

case SET_MEDIA : /* set media type */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Set media type");
// get the max tracks called for
myblock->fd_max_track = (cx >> 8) | ((cx << 2) & 0x300);
// get the max sectors called for
myblock->fd_max_sectors = cx & 0x003f;
if (cmos_type(myblock->fd_drive) != 0)
{
    myblock->fd_drive_type = cmos_type(myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07;
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\n\rDrive is ");watch_byte(FLOPPY,myblock->fd_drive);
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\n\rDrive type is ");watch_byte(FLOPPY,myblock->fd_drive_type);
    // myblock->fd_drive_type = peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive)& 0x07;
    // use the transition table for this drive
    for (myblock->fd_i = 0;peekbcs(&transition_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_i]) != 0;myblock->fd_i++)
    {
        myblock->fd_media_type = peekbcs(&transition_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_i]);
        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\n\rMedia type is ");watch_byte(FLOPPY,myblock->fd_media_type);

        if ((myblock->fd_max_sectors == peekbcs(&fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_media_type][DT_SEC_TRK])) && \
            (myblock->fd_max_track == peekbcs(&fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_media_type][DT_MAX_TRK])))
        {
            // return the disk parms ptr to the caller
            di = &fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_media_type][0];
            es = bios.cs();
            // set the disk id to the established supported media
            pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,myblock->fd_drive_type | (myblock->fd_media_type << 4) | 
            drive_established | media_established);
            watch_string(FLOPPY,"\n\rMedia established, drive byte is: ");
            watch_byte(FLOPPY,peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive));
            // need a break to say OK here!!!
            goto set_media_exit;
        }
    }
    if (peekbcs(&transition_table[myblock->fd_drive_type][myblock->fd_i]) == 0)
        DISK_STATUS = MED_NOT_FND;
}
set_media_exit:
ax = (DISK_STATUS << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
if ((ax & 0xff00) != 0) flags |= 1;
break;

default : /* invalid function code - return bad code */
watch_string(FLOPPY,"Bad Command");
DISK_STATUS = BAD_CMD;
ax = (BAD_CMD << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
flags |= 1; /* set return error flag */

/* end of switch */

snapshot_out(FLOPPY,&es);

MOTOR_COUNT = get_parm(myblock,2); /* set motor count */
release_block(myblock);

/* end of disk_io */
/*=====
=====
=====*/

```

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```
/* reset the disk system */
void FDC_reset(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    unsigned i;
    unsigned char status;

    disable();
    status = (MOTOR_STATUS << 4) | 8;
    // if a motor is on, set the drive select bits accordingly
    switch (status & 0xf0)
    {
        /* motor 2 on */
        case 0x20: status |= 0x01; break;
        /* motor 3 on */
        case 0x40: status |= 0x02; break;
        /* motor 4 on */
        case 0x80: status |= 0x03; break;
    }
    outportb (DOR_PORT,status); /* reset disk controller */
    SEEK_STATUS = 0;
    outportb (DOR_PORT,status | 0x04); // reset the reset bit
    enable(); /* enable interrupts */
    /* wait for interrupt */
    if (wait_int() == error) { DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC; return; }
    for (i = 0; i < 4; i++) /* number of drives */
    {
        /* send command */
        if (send_fdc(8) == error) { DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC; return; }
        /* check results */
        if (results() != ok) { DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC; return; }
        if (peekb40(FDC_STATUS) != (i | 0xc0)) { DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC; return; }
    }
    send_specify_command(myblock);
}

/*=====
When the hardware interrupt occurs from the floppy disk,
this function sets bit 7 in the seek status flag and sends
an end-of-interrupt command to the 8259.
-----*/
```

```
void interrupt cdecl far disk_isr (void)
{
    SEEK_STATUS |= INT_FLAG; outportb (0x20,0x20); /* send eoi */
}
```

```
/*=====
Return the drive type for a specified drive.
-----*/
```

```
unsigned char cmos_type (unsigned char drive_nr)
{
    unsigned char drive_type = 0;
    switch(drive_nr)
    {
        case 0: drive_type = incmos(0x10) >> 4; break;
        case 1: drive_type = incmos(0x10) & 0x0f; break;
        case 2: drive_type = incmos(0x11) >> 4; break;
        case 3: drive_type = incmos(0x11) & 0x0f; break;
    }
    if (drive_type != 0) drive_type |= drive_established;
    return(drive_type);
}
```

```
/*=====
Send a byte to the FDC.
-----*/
```

```
unsigned char send_fdc(unsigned char parm)
{
    unsigned long i = set_timeout_count(5); // wait at least 1 sec
    do
    {
        if ((inportb(MSR_PORT) & 0xc0) == RQM)
```

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        outportb(DATA_PORT,parm);
        delay_call(0,50); /* delay at least 50 useconds */
        return (ok);
    }
    while (TIMER_LONG < i);
    DISK_STATUS |= TIME_OUT;
    return (error);
}

/*=====
Get the indexed value from the disk parameter table.
-----
unsigned char get_parm(fdisk_regs *myblock,unsigned char index)
{
    return(peekbcs(&fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type] [myblock->fd_media_type] [index]));
}

/*=====
Send the specify command to the FDC.
-----
void send_specify_command (fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    send_fdc(3);
    send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,0));
    send_fdc(get_parm(myblock,1)); /* send command */
}
/*=====
/*=====
/*=====

Turn motor on and wait for motor start up time if this is a
write operation. Proceed immediately if a read operation.
1. save the last state of the motor.
2. turn on the selected motor.
3. if not a write, exit immediately.
3. if a write, if the same motor was already on, exit, else wait for the delay.
-----
void motor_on(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    unsigned char this_motor, last_motor, wait;

    disable();
    MOTOR_COUNT = 0xff;
    /* hit timer with max on-count */
    last_motor = MOTOR_STATUS & 0x0f;
    wait = MOTOR_STATUS & 0x80;
    MOTOR_STATUS |= this_motor = (1 << myblock->fd_drive);
    outportb(DOR_PORT,(this_motor << 4) | 0x0c | myblock->fd_drive);
    enable();
    if((last_motor != this_motor) && (wait != 0))
    {
        // delay for a write and a motor start
        // force a delay in 1/8 seconds
        // delay = (resolution,count) in milliseconds */

        delay_call(125,get_parm(myblock,10));
        MOTOR_COUNT = 0xff;
        /* hit timer with max on-count */
        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rMotor on Delay = ");
        watch_byte(FLOPPY,get_parm(myblock,10));
    }
}

/*=====
Wait for the hardware interrupt to occur. Time-out and return
if no interrupt.
-----
unsigned char wait_int (void)
{
    /* this time out should be 3 secs */
    unsigned long i = set_timeout_count(3 * 20);
}

```

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```
disable();
outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~BIT6);
enable();
do
{
    if((SEEK_STATUS & INT_FLAG) != 0) { SEEK_STATUS &= ~INT_FLAG; return (ok); }
} while (TIMER_LONG < i);
DISK_STATUS |= TIME_OUT; SEEK_STATUS &= ~INT_FLAG;
return (error);
}

/*=====
Send the data-transfer-rate command to controller
-----*/
void send_rate(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    outportb(DRR_PORT,peekbcs(&fdisk_table[peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & 0x07]
    [(peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) >> 4) & 0x07][DT_RATE]));
}

/*=====
Process the interrupt received after recalibrate or seek.
-----*/
unsigned char chk_stat_2 (void)
{
    if (wait_int() == error) return (error);
    if (send_fdc(8) == error) return (error);
    if (result_ts() == error) return (error);
    if ((peekb40(FDC_STATUS) & 0x60) == 0x60) /* normal termination */
    {
        watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rSeek Error, fdc status was - ");
        watch_byte(FLOPPY,peekb40(FDC_STATUS));
        DISK_STATUS |= BAD_SEEK;
        return (error);
    }
    return (ok);
}

/*=====
Initialize dma controller for read, write, verify operations.
-----*/
unsigned char dma_setup(fdisk_regs *myblock,unsigned es,unsigned bx)
{
    disable(); /* disable interrupts */
    outportb(DMA_FLFF,0x00); /* set the first/last ff */
    outportb(DMA_MASK,DMA_OFF); /* disable channel while loading */

    outportb(DMA_MODE,myblock->fd_dma_command); /* output mode byte */
    if (myblock->fd_dma_command == DMA_VRFY_MODE) /* dma verify command ? */
    {
        /* yes */
        myblock->dma_address = 0;
        myblock->lower_byte = 0;
        myblock->upper_byte = 0;
        myblock->nibble = 0;
    }
    else
    {
        myblock->dma_address = es + (bx >> 4);
        myblock->nibble = myblock->dma_address >> 12;
        myblock->upper_byte = myblock->dma_address >> 4;
        myblock->lower_byte = (myblock->dma_address << 4) | (bx & 0x000f);
    }

    myblock->length = ((myblock->fd_nr_sectors * 128) << get_parm(myblock,3)) - 1;
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rTransfer Length = ");
    watch_word(FLOPPY,myblock->length);
    outportb(DMA_ADR,myblock->lower_byte); /* output low address */
    outportb(DMA_ADR,myblock->upper_byte); /* output high address */
    outportb(DMA_PAGE,myblock->nibble); /* output page address */
    outportb(DMA_BASE,myblock->length & 0xff); // output low byte length
    outportb(DMA_BASE,myblock->length >> 8); // output high byte length
    enable(); /* enable interrupts */

    outportb(DMA_MASK,DMA_ON); /* init disk channel */
}
```

```

myblock->lcheck = 0;
myblock->lcheck = ((myblock->upper_byte & 0xff) << 8) | (myblock->lower_byte & 0xff);
myblock->lcheck = myblock->lcheck + (unsigned long) myblock->length;
if (myblock->lcheck & 0xffff0000) /* test for overflow */
{
    /* overflow */
    DISK_STATUS = DMA_BOUNDARY;
    watch_string(FLOPPY,"\\n\\rDMA overflow");
    return (error);
}
return (ok);
}

=====
Move the head to the selected track.

-----
unsigned char seek(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
//unsigned char drive_type,media_type;
if ((SEEK_STATUS & (T << myblock->fd_drive)) == 0) /* need recal */
{
    SEEK_STATUS |= (1 << myblock->fd_drive); /* mark recal will be done */

    /* try 2 attempts at recalibrate, then if failed, return error */
    if (recal(myblock) == error)
    {
        DISK_STATUS = 0;
        if (Recal(myblock) == error) return (error);
    }
    pokeb40(LAST_TRACK+(myblock->fd_drive),0); /* clear track number */
    /* if we want track zero, then just wait for head and exit */
    if (myblock->fd_track == 0) { wait_for_head(myblock); return (ok); }

    if (peekbcs(&fdisk_table[myblock->fd_drive_type] [myblock->fd_media_type] [DT_STEP1]) != 0)
        myblock->fd_track *= 2;
    if (peekb40(LAST_TRACK+myblock->fd_drive) == myblock->fd_track)
        return(ok);
    /* update new position */
    pokeb40(LAST_TRACK+myblock->fd_drive,myblock->fd_track);
    if (send_fdc(0x0f) == error) return (error);
    if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_drive) == error) return (error);
    if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_track) == error) return (error);
    if (chk_stat_2() == error) return (error);
    wait_for_head(myblock);
    return (ok);
}
}

=====
Recalibrate the drive.

-----
unsigned recal(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    if (send_fdc(7) == error) return (error);
    if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_drive) == error) return (error);
    /* send command */
    if (chk_stat_2() == error) return (error);
    /* return with error */
    return (ok); /* return with no error */
}

=====

Determine whether a retry is necessary.
Returning an OK says don't retry any more
Returning an ERROR says retry again

-----
unsigned retry(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    unsigned char media_type;
    /* if operation timed out - say no retry*/
    if ((DISK_STATUS & TIME_OUT) == TIME_OUT) return (ok);
    /* if media is established - say no retry */
    if ((peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & media_established) != 0) return (ok);

    /* we have to step through the media */

    // get the next possible media type for this drive type
    media_type = peekbcs(&transition_table[myblock->fd_drive_type] [++myblock->fd_media_index]);
}

```

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```
if (media_type == media_none) // then at end of possibles
{
    // dis-establish media
    // return - no more
    andb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive, ~(media_established | media_field));
    return(ok);
}

// insert the new media type into the DISK_ID and return saying try again
pokeb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,(peekb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive) & ~media_field) |
(media_type << 4));

DISK_STATUS = 0;
pokeb40(FDC_STATUS,0);
return(error); /* return saying retry */
}

/*=====
Read anything from the controller following an interrupt.
This may include up to seven bytes of status.
-----*/
unsigned char results (void)
{
    unsigned long i;
    unsigned char count,flag;

    for (count = 0; count < 7; count++) // get up to seven bytes
    {
        flag = error;
        i = set_timeout_count(2); // set delay to 50-100 ms.

        do
        {
            if ((inportb(MSR_PORT) & 0xc0) == 0xc0) /* data available from FDC */
            {
                pokeb40(FDC_STATUS+count,inportb(DATA_PORT)); /* save status */
                delay_call(0,100); /* at least 100 us for the FDC */
                flag = ok;
            }
            /* check busy bit */
            if ((inportb(MSR_PORT) & BUSY) == 0) return (ok);
        } while (TIMER_LONG < i);
        if (flag == error) { DISK_STATUS |= TIME_OUT; return (error); }
    }
    DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC; /* too many bytes */
    return (error);
}

/*=====
Purge the FDC of any status it is waiting to send.
-----*/
void purge_fdc (void)
{
    while ((inportb(MSR_PORT) & 0xc0) == 0xc0)
    {
        inportb(DATA_PORT); /* read status */
        delay_call(0,50); /* at least 50 us for the FDC */
    }
}

/*=====
Read the state of the disk change line.
-----*/
unsigned char read_dskchng(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    motor_on(myblock); /* turn motor on */
    return (inportb(DIR_PORT) & DSKCHANGE_BIT);
}

/*=====
Execute the FDC read id command.
-----*/
unsigned char read_id (fdisk_regs *myblock)
```

```

{
    if (send_fdc(FDC READID) == error) return(error);
    if (send_fdc(mybTock->fd_head << 2 | myblock->fd_drive) == error) return (error);
    return (get_fdc_status(myblock));
}

=====
Wait for the head to settle after a seek.
-----
void wait_for_head(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    unsigned char wait;

    wait = get_parm(myblock,9); /* get head settle */
    if ((MOTOR_STATUS & 0x80) != 0) // if write
    {
        /* yes */
        if (wait == 0) /* wait zero ? */
        {
            /* yes */
            if (peekb40(DISK_ID+(myblock->fd_drive)) >> 4) & 0x07)
                wait = 0x14; /* default 360 head time */
            else
                wait = 0x0f; /* default others head time */
        }
    }
    else
    {
        if (wait == 0) /* is wait zero ? */
        return; /* yes, return */
    }
    delay_call(1,wait); /* delay n milliseconds */
}

=====
Checks for a media change, reset media changes and check
media changes.

Returns:
ok = media not changed, error = media changed
-----
unsigned char med_change(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    if (read_dskchng(myblock) == 0) return (ok);
    /* clear media established and media type */
    andb40(DISK_ID+myblock->fd_drive,-media_established);

    disable();
    MOTOR_STATUS &= ~(1 << myblock->fd_drive);
    /* turn off motor status */
    enable();
    motor_on(myblock);
    FDC_reset(myblock);
    mybTock->fd_track = 0;
    seek(myblock);
    myblock->fd_track = 1;
    seek(myblock);
    DISK_STATUS = MEDIA_CHANGE;
    if (read_dskchng(myblock) != 0) DISK_STATUS = TIME_OUT;
    return (error);
}

=====
Seek to the requested track and initialize the controller
-----
unsigned char fdc_init(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    motor_on(myblock);
    if (seek(myblock) == error) return (error);
    if (send_fdc(myblock->fd_fdc_command) == error) return(error);
    if (send_fdc(((myblock->fd_head <<2) & BIT2) | myblock->fd_drive) == error)
        return(error);
    return (ok);
}

=====
Wait until an operation is complete, then accept the status
from the controller.

```

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---

```
-----*/
unsigned char get_fdc_status(fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    myblock->time_out_flag = wait_int();
    if (results() == error) return(error);
    if (myblock->time_out_flag == error)
    {
        if (DISK_STATUS == 0) return(ok); else return(error);
    }
    if ((peekb40(FDC_STATUS) & 0xc0) == 0)
    {
        if (DISK_STATUS == 0) return(ok); else return(error);
    }
    if ((peekb40(FDC_STATUS) & 0xc0) != 0x40) { DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC; return(error); }

    myblock->error_byte = peekb40(FDC_STATUS + 1);
    /* get controller status */
    if (((myblock->error_byte & BIT7) != 0) { (DISK_STATUS |= RECORD_NOT_FND;})
    else if (((myblock->error_byte & BIT5) != 0) { (DISK_STATUS |= BAD_CRC;})
    else if (((myblock->error_byte & BIT4) != 0) { (DISK_STATUS |= BAD_DMA;})
    else if (((myblock->error_byte & BIT2) != 0) { (DISK_STATUS |= RECORD_NOT_FND;})
    else if (((myblock->error_byte & BIT1) != 0) { (DISK_STATUS |= WRITE_PROTECT;})
    else if (((myblock->error_byte & BIT0) != 0) { (DISK_STATUS |= BAD_ADDR_MARK;})
    else { (DISK_STATUS |= BAD_FDC;)}
    if (DISK_STATUS != 0) return(error);
    return(ok);
}

/*=====
calculate number of sectors that were actually transferred.

returns:
number of sectors transferred
-----*/
unsigned char calc_sectors (fdisk_regs *myblock)
{
    if (DISK_STATUS != 0) return (0);

    myblock->sectors_track = get_parm(myblock,4);
    myblock->end_track = peekb40(FDC_STATUS + 3);
    myblock->end_head = peekb40(FDC_STATUS + 4);
    myblock->end_sector = peekb40(FDC_STATUS + 5);
    myblock->num_sectors = 0;
    if (myblock->end_track != myblock->fd_track)
        myblock->num_sectors += myblock->sectors_track;
    if (myblock->end_head != myblock->fd_head)
        myblock->num_sectors += myblock->sectors_track;
    myblock->num_sectors += (myblock->end_sector - myblock->fd_sector);
    return(myblock->num_sectors);
}
/*=====*/
```

**N I N E****The Hard Disk Driver**

The Hard Disk Driver is used to operate an optional hard disk drive. This driver supports the standard AT type of hard disk controller. Other disk interfaces such as SCSI, ESDI, and SMD may require drastically different hardware level interaction, but the Bios register interface will remain the same as in this driver. If you are developing any of these drivers, this module may be used as a starting point, since the functional requirements at the Bios function call interface remain the same.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios hard disk driver
* Version: 1.04
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: athard.c
* Language MSC 5.1
* Functional Description:
* Interrupt 13h - hard disk driver
* AH = 0 - do a reset on the controller, set recal needed
* AH = 1 - read the last operation status into AL
* ----- for the following operations -----
* DL = drive number (0x80-0x81)
* DH = head number
* CH = track number
* CL = sector number (except for Format)
* AL = number of sectors (except for Format)
* ES:BX - data buffer address (except for Format)
*
* AH = 2 - read sectors
* AH = 3 - write sectors
* AH = 4 - verify sectors
*
* The above commands return in AL the # of sectors successful
*
* AH = 5 - format track
* ES:BX points to (4 sector bytes) * # of sectors
* Each field (1 per sector) =
* C = Cylinder (track ) number
* H = head number
* R = sector number
* N = number of bytes per sector encoded as:
* 00 = 128 bytes per sector
* 01 = 256 bytes per sector
* 02 = 512 bytes per sector
* 03 = 1024 bytes per sector
*
* AH = 6 - not used
*
* AH = 7 - not used
*
* AH = 8 - Return the Drive Parameters
*
* AH = 9 - Initialize the drive pair
*
* AH = 10 - Read Long
*
* AH = 11 - Write Long
*
* AH = 12 - Seek
```

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```
* AH = 13 - Alternate disk reset
* AH = 14 - not used
* AH = 15 - not used
* AH = 16 - test drive ready
* AH = 17 - Recalibrate
* AH = 18 - not used
* AH = 19 - not used
* AH = 20 - controller diagnostic
* AH = 21 - read drive type
*
* Returns:
* Carry Flag Clear = good operation - AH = 0
* Carry Flag Set = Failure - AH = failure code
*
* Arguments:
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
* 1.01
* DMA overrun check was being called with the cx register instead of the ax register. Changed
* calls to pass ax.
* 1.02
* Corrected previous error in check_overrun, (test for nr sectors = 0x7f).
* Corrected error in check_error_byte function
* 1.03
* Changed init routine to check for any disks present before linking
* vector 40h.
* 1.04
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
* Moved variables to myblock
* Changed setup to skip vectoring if no hard disks present
* Changed most function calls to pass only myblock pointer for arguments
* Corrected error in FORMAT case (using wrong block index)
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
/*----- function prototypes -----*/
unsigned hdisk_setup(void);
void interrupt_cdecl far hdisk_io(interrupt_registers);
void interrupt cdecl far hdisk_isr (void);

unsigned char calc_hsectors(unsigned char,unsigned char,unsigned char);
unsigned wait_for_int(void);
unsigned not_busy(void);
unsigned check_overrun(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned wait_for_data(void);
unsigned check_hd_status(void);
unsigned check_status_byte(void);
unsigned check_error_byte(void);
unsigned load_command(unsigned);
unsigned hi_regs(unsigned long);

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
extern const unsigned char hdisk_table;

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
#define OUTPUT_REQ_BIT 0x08
#define ecc_mode 0x02
#define send_command load_command(myblock)
//----- bios ram usage definitions -----
#define bad_bat 0x80
```

```

#define bad_cksm 0x40

//----- error code definitions -----

#define NO_ERROR 0x00
#define BAD_CMD 0x01
#define BAD_ADDRESS 0x02
#define BAD_SECTOR 0x04
#define BAD_RESET 0x05
#define BAD_PARMS 0x07
#define BAD_DMA 0x09
#define BAD_SECTOR FLAG 0x0a
#define BAD_CYLINDER 0x0b
#define BAD_FORMAT 0x0d
#define BAD_CONTROL 0x0e
#define BAD_DMA_ARB 0x0f
#define BAD_ECC 0x10
#define BAD_ECC_OK 0x11
#define BAD_HDC 0x20
#define BAD_SEEK 0x40
#define TIME_OUT 0x80
#define NOT READY 0xaa
#define UNDEF_ERR 0xbb
#define BAD_WRITE 0xcc
#define BAD_STATUS 0xe0
#define BAD_SENSE 0xff

//----- function code definitions -----

#define RESET 0x00
#define READ_STATUS 0x01
#define READ_SECTORS 0x02
#define WRITE_SECTORS 0x03
#define VERIFY_SECTORS 0x04
#define FORMAT_TRACK 0x05
#define BAD_FUNCTION 0x06
#define GET_PARAMETERS 0x08
#define INIT_DRIVE 0x09
#define READ_LONG 0x0a
#define WRITE_LONG 0x0b
#define SEEK 0x0c
#define ALT_RESET 0x0d
#define TEST_DRIVE_READY 0x10
#define RECALIBRATE 0x11
#define DIAGNOSTIC 0x14
#define GET_DISK_TYPE 0x15
#define PARK_HEADS 0x19
#define FORMAT_UNIT 0x1a
#define BAD_COMMAND 0x1b

#define TRY 0xff

//----- I/O port definitions -----

#define HD_PORT 0x1f0

// controller task register file (ports) (frame)

// for a port write -
// 0 - write data
// 1 - pre-comp
// 2 - sector count
// 3 - sector number
// 4 - low cyl
// 5 - high cyl
// 6 - size/drive/head
// 7 - command register

// for a port read
// 0 - read data
// 1 - error register
// 2 - sector count
// 3 - sector number
// 4 - low cyl
// 5 - high cyl
// 6 - size/drive/head
// 7 - status register

#define HD_REG_PORT 0x3f6

//---- controller internal command codes -----

#define HDC_RECAL 0x10
#define HDC_READ 0x20
#define HDC_READ_LONG 0x22

```

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```
#define HDC_WRITE 0x30
#define HDC_WRITE_LONG 0x32
#define HDC_VERIFY 0x40
#define HDC_FORMAT 0x50
#define HDC_INIT 0x60
#define HDC_SEEK 0x70
#define HDC_DIAG 0x90
#define HDC_SET_PARM 0x91

/* LOCAL CONSTANTS */
//const char ndisk_table[1][1][16];

/* PROGRAM */

variables
unsigned char hd_frame[8]; /* The command block is built in this frame */
unsigned hd_table_seg; /* pointers to drive parameter table */
unsigned hd_table_off;
unsigned hd_xfr_seg; /* pointers to the transfer area */
unsigned hd_xfr_off;
end_variables hdregs;

/*----- setup the controller -----*/
unsigned hdisk_setup()
{
    unsigned error_code = ok;
    hdregs *myblock;
    unsigned char drive_type;
    myblock = acquire_block(HARD);

    HD_NUM = 0; /* clear number of drives */
    HD_CONTROL = 0; /* clear control byte */
    HD_STATUS1 = 0; /* clear disk status */

    if (incmos(0x8e) & (bad_bat | bad_chksm) != 0)
    {
        outcmos(0x8e,incmos(0x8e) & ~0x10); error_code = error;
    }
    else
    {
        /* get disk type for drive 1 from cmos */

        drive_type = incmos(0x12) >> 4;
        if (drive_type != 0) /* there are 1 or more drives */
        {

            VECTOR_40 = VECTOR_13; /* move floppy vector to interrupt 40 */
            link_interrupt(0x13,hdisk_io); /* link 13 for functions and 76 (IRQ14) for isr */
            link_interrupt(0x76,hdisk_isr);

            set_vector(0x41,bios_cs(),&hdisk_table); /* set default table addresses to type 0 */
            set_vector(0x46,bios_cs(),&hdisk_table);

            outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) & ~0x40); /* enable IRQ 14 */
            outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~0x05); /* enable IRQ 2 in slave mode */
            if(drive_type == 15) drive_type = incmos(0x19); /* get extended type */

            /* set pointer to table[type] into int 41 vector */
            poke(0x00,0x41 * 4,&hdisk_table+((drive_type-1)*16));
            HD_NUM = 1; // say there is one drive

            drive_type = incmos(0x12) & 0x0f;
            if (drive_type != 0) /* there are 1 or more drives */
            {
                if(drive_type == 15) drive_type = incmos(0x1a); /* get extended type */

                /* set pointer to table[type] into int 46 vector */
                poke(0x00,0x46 * 4,&hdisk_table+((drive_type-1)*16));
                HD_NUM = 2; // say there are two drives
            }

            /* test the hard disk controller */
            myblock->dx = 0x0080;
            myblock->ax = DIAGNOSTIC << 8;
            sys_int(0x13,myblock);
            if !(myblock->flags & carry_bit) != 0
            {
                error_code = 0x1782; /* return error code */
            }
            /* do a reset on the drive(s) */
        }
    }
}
```

```

myblock->dx = 0x0080;
myblock->ax = RESET << 8;
sys_int(0x13,myblock);
if !(myblock->flags & carry_bit) != 0)
{
    error_code = 0x1790; /* return error code */
}
}
}
release_block(myblock);
return(error_code);
}
/*=====
===== BEGINNING OF MAIN ROUTINES =====*/
/*=====

/* handle the floppy disk function service call */
void interrupt cdecl far hdisk_io (interrupt_registers)
{
hdregs *myblock;
if((dx & 0x0080) == 0)           /* if dl <= 7f, then divert to floppy disk */
{
    // fdisk_chain is an assembly language routine which
    // unstacks the pushed registers, then executes an int 40
    // to the floppy driver. This prevents the stack from
    // becoming too deep. DOS has a problem with its stack
    // being too short to support many nested, interrupts.
    fdisk_chain(); // does not return here !!!
}

enable();
myblock = acquire_block(HARD);

snapshot_in(HARD,&es);

flags &= ~0x0001; /* clear the carry flag for returns */

HD_STATUS1 = 0; /* clear status */

// set precomp - varies for drive zero or one !!!
if ((dx & 0xff) > 0x81) ax = BAD_COMMAND << 8; /* bad drive number */

if(HD_NUM == 0) ax = BAD_COMMAND << 8; /* no hard drives */

if((dx & 0x7f) > (HD_NUM - 1)) ax = BAD_COMMAND << 8; /* bad drive number */

if ((dx & 0x01) == 0) // drive 0:
{
    myblock->hd_table_seg = peek(0x00,0x0106);
    myblock->hd_table_off = peek(0x00,0x0104);
}
else // drive 1:
{
    myblock->hd_table_seg = peek(0x00,0x011a);
    myblock->hd_table_off = peek(0x00,0x0118);
}

// set the control byte
HD_CONTROL = (HD_CONTROL & 0xc0) | peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off+8);
// set the register port
outportb(HD_REG_PORT,peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+8));
// build the frame
myblock->hd_frame[1] = peek(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+5) >> 2;
myblock->hd_frame[2] = ax & 0x00ff; // sector count
myblock->hd_frame[3] = cx & 0x3f; // sector number
myblock->hd_frame[4] = cx >> 8; // cyl low
myblock->hd_frame[5] = (cx >> 6) & 0x03; // cyl high
myblock->hd_frame[6] = ((dx & 0x01) << 4) | ((dx >> 8) & 0x0f) | 0xa0;
myblock->hd_frame[7] = 0; // pre-clear this item

// normalize es:bx to xfr_seg:xfr_off = xxxx:000x
myblock->hd_xfr_seg = es & (bx >>4);
myblock->hd_xfr_off = bx & 0x000f;

/* now execute the CASE for the selected function */

switch (ax >> 8)
{
    case RESET: /* reset the disk controller */
        watch_string(HARD,"RESET");
        myblock->ax = 0; // do a reset on the Floppy controller first
        sys_int(0x40,myblock);
        if !(dx & 0x00ff) > 0x81) // not legal drive #
    {
        ax = myblock->ax; // pass results back to caller
    }
}
}
}

```

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```
flags = myblock->flags;
}
else // do the hard drive too
{
// enable the IRQ
outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) & 0xbf);
// reset the controller
outportb(HD_REG_PORT, 4);

// DELAY 5-10 USECS
delay_call(0,10);

// set the head, and clear the reset bit
outportb(HD_REG_PORT,HD_CONTROL & 0x0f);
if(not_busy() == error)
{
    HD_STATUS1 = BAD_RESET;
    watch_string(HARD,"NOT BUSY BAD RESET");
}
else
{
    watch_string(HARD,"Not busy was OK");
    if(inportb(HD_PORf+1) != 0x01)
    {
        HD_STATUS1 = BAD_RESET;
        watch_string(HARD,"Port 1 not = 01 bad reset");
    }
    else
    {
        watch_string(HARD,"Init and Recal the drives");
        myblock->ax = INIT_DRIVE << 8;
        myblock->dx = 0x0080;
        sys_int(0x13,myblock);

        myblock->ax = RECALIBRATE << 8;
        myblock->dx = 0x0080;
        sys_int(0x13,myblock);
        // If two drives, do the next one
        if (HD_NUM > 1)
        {
            myblock->ax = INIT_DRIVE << 8;
            myblock->dx = 0x0081;
            sys_int(0x13,myblock);

            myblock->ax = RECALIBRATE << 8;
            myblock->dx = 0x0081;
            sys_int(0x13,myblock);
        }
        HD_STATUS1 = 0; // clear the error bits
        watch_string(HARD,"Good reset");
    }
    HD_STATUS1 = 0; // clear the error bits
    watch_string(HARD,"Good reset");
}
break;

case READ_STATUS:
watch_string(HARD,"READ_STATUS");
ax = (ax & 0xff00) | HD_STATUS1;
break;

case READ_SECTORS:
watch_string(HARD,"READ SECTORS");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_READ;
if(myblock->hd_frame[2] == 0) { HD_STATUS1 = BAD_CMD; break; }

watch_string(HARD,"\n\rChecking Overrun");
if(check_overrun(myblock->hd_frame[2],myblock->hd_xfr_off,myblock->hd_frame[7]) == ok)
{
    watch_string(HARD,"\n\rOverrun ok");

    if(send_command == ok)
    {
        watch_string(HARD,"\n\rSent command");
        // output commands
        // do this loop for each sector
        do
        {
            if(wait_for_int() == ok)
            // wait for data ready interrupt
            {
                watch_string(HARD,"\n\rReady for data");
                // do the sector transfer
                rep_in(myblock->hd_xfr_seg, myblock->hd_xfr_off,HD_PORT,256);
                myblock->hd_xfr_off +=512;
            }
        }
    }
}
```

```

    }
    watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rXFR done");
    if (check_hd_status() == error) break;
    watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rStatus was OK");
}
while(--myblock->hd_frame[2] != 0);
}

break;

case WRITE_SECTORS:
watch_string(HARD,"WRITE_SECTORS");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_WRITE;
if(myblock->hd_frame[2] == 0) { HD_STATUS1 = BAD_CMD; break; }

// check for transfer overrun
if(check_overrun(myblock->hd_frame[2],myblock->hd_xfr_off,myblock->hd_frame[7]) == ok)
{
    watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rOverrun ok");
    if(send_command == ok)
    {
        watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rSent command");

        // wait for data request
        if(wait_for_data() == ok)
        {
            watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rReady for data");
            // do this loop for each sector
            do
            {
                // do the sector transfer
                rep_out(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off,HD_PORT,256);
                myblock->hd_xfr_off += 512;
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rXFR done");
                if(wait_for_int() != ok) break; // wait for completion
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rCompletion Interrupt rx'd");
                if (check_hd_status() == error) break;
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rStatus was OK");
            }
            while(((HD_STATUS & 0X08) != 0) && (--myblock->hd_frame[2] != 0));
            if(inportb(HD_PORT+2) != 0)
            {
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rXfer Aborted = original error code = ");
                watch_word(HARD,HD_STATUS1);
                HD_STATUS1 = UNDEF_ERR;
            }
        }
    }
}
break;

case VERIFY_SECTORS:
watch_string(HARD,"VERIFY_SECTORS");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_VERIFY;
if(send_command == ok)
{
    if (wait_for_int() == ok)
    {
        check_hd_status();
    }
}
break;

case FORMAT_TRACK:
watch_string(HARD,"FORMAT TRACK");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_FORMAT;
myblock->hd_frame[2] = peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+14);
if(send_command == ok)
{
    watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rSent command");

    // wait for data request interrupt
    if(wait_for_data() == ok)
    {
        watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rReady for data");
        // do this loop for each sector
        do
        {
            // do the sector transfer
            rep_out(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off,HD_PORT,256);
            myblock->hd_xfr_off += 512;
            watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rXFR done");
            if(wait_for_int() != ok) break; // wait for completion
            watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rCompletion Interrupt rx'd");
        }
        while(--myblock->hd_frame[2] != 0);
    }
}
}

```

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```
if (check_hd_status() == error) break;
watch_string(HARD, "\n\rStatus was OK");
}
while(((HD_STATUS & 0x08) != 0) && (--myblock->hd_frame[2] != 0));
// if the controller is still asking for more data, then it is an error
if(inportb(HD_PORT+2) != 0) HD_STATUS1 = UNDEF_ERR;
}
}
break;

case GET_PARAMETERS:
watch_string(HARD, "GET_PARAMETERS");

// build ch = max cyls, cl = max sectors
// get lower 8 bits of max cyls
ax = peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off)-1;
cx = ax << 8;
cx |= ((ax >> 2) & 0x00C0);

// get max sectors
cx |= (peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+14));

// build dh = max heads, dl = # drives
dx = (peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+2)-1) << 8;
dx |= HD_NUM;

ax = 0;
break;

case INIT_DRIVE:
watch_string(HARD, "INIT DRIVE");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_SET_PARM;
// set max heads
myblock->hd_frame[6] = (myblock->hd_frame[6] & 0xf0) | \
(peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+2)-1);
// set sector count
myblock->hd_frame[2] = peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg, myblock->hd_table_off+14);
// set low cylinder = 0
myblock->hd_frame[4] = 0;
// set high cylinder = 0
myblock->hd_frame[5] = 0;

if(send_command == ok)
{
if(not_busy() == ok)
{
check_hd_status();
}
}
break;

case READ_LONG:
watch_string(HARD, "READ_LONG");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_READ_LONG;

if(myblock->hd_frame[2] == 0) { HD_STATUS1 = BAD_CMD; break; }

// check for transfer overrun
// watch_string(HARD, "\n\rChecking Overrun");
if(check_overrun(myblock->hd_frame[2], myblock->hd_xfr_off, myblock->hd_frame[7]) == ok)
{
// watch_string(HARD, "\n\rOverrun ok");
// command phase
if(send_command == ok)
{
// watch_string(HARD, "\n\rSent command");
// output commands
// do this loop for each sector
do
{
if(wait_for_int() == ok)
// wait-for-data ready interrupt
{
watch_string(HARD, "\n\rReady for data");
// do the sector transfer
rep_in(myblock->hd_xfr_seg, myblock->hd_xfr_off, HD_PORT, 256);
myblock->hd_xfr_off += 512;

// read the 4 extra bytes
pokeb(myblock->hd_xfr_seg, myblock->hd_xfr_off++, inportb(HD_PORT));
pokeb(myblock->hd_xfr_seg, myblock->hd_xfr_off++, inportb(HD_PORT));
pokeb(myblock->hd_xfr_seg, myblock->hd_xfr_off++, inportb(HD_PORT));
pokeb(myblock->hd_xfr_seg, myblock->hd_xfr_off++, inportb(HD_PORT));
}
}
}
}
}
```

```

        //      watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rXFR done");
        if (check_hd_status() == error) break;
        //      watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rStatus was OK");
    }
    while(--myblock->hd_frame[2] > 0);
}
}

break;

case WRITE_LONG:
watch_string(HARD,"WRITE_LONG");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_WRITE_LONG;
if(myblock->hd_frame[2] == 0) { HD_STATUS1 = BAD_CMD; break; }

// check for transfer overrun
if(check_overrun(myblock->hd_frame[2],myblock->hd_xfr_off,myblock->hd_frame[7]) == ok)
{
    watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rOverrun ok");
    if(send_command == ok)
    {
        watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rSent command");

        // wait for data request interrupt
        if(wait_for_data() == ok)
        {
            watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rReady for data");
            // do this loop for each sector
            do
            {
                // do the sector transfer
                rep out(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off,HD_PORT,256);
                myblock->hd_xfr_off+= 512;
                // ecc mode - send 4 more bytes
                outportb(HD_PORT,peek(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off++));
                outportb(HD_PORT,peek(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off++));
                outportb(HD_PORT,peek(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off++));
                outportb(HD_PORT,peek(myblock->hd_xfr_seg,myblock->hd_xfr_off++));
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rXFR done");
                if(wait_for_int() != ok) break; // wait for completion
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rCompletion Interrupt rx'd");
                if (check_hd_status() == error) break;
                watch_string(HARD,"\\n\\rStatus was OK");
            }
            while(((HD_STATUS & 0x08) != 0) && (--myblock->hd_frame[2] != 0));
            // if the controller still asking for more then an error.
            if(inportb(HD_PORT+2) != 0) HD_STATUS1 = UNDEF_ERR;
        }
    }
}
break;

case SEEK:
watch_string(HARD,"SEEK");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_SEEK;
if(send_command == ok)
{
    if(wait_for_int() == ok) check_hd_status();
    if(HD_STATUS1 == BAD_SEEK) HD_STATUS1 = 0;
}
break;

case ALT_RESET:
watch_string(HARD,"ALT_RESET");
break;

case TEST_DRIVE_READY:
watch_string(HARD,"TEST_DRIVE_READY");
if(not_busy() == ok)
{
    outportb(HD_PORT+6,myblock->hd_frame[6]);
    check_hd_status();
}
break;

case RECALIBRATE:
watch_string(HARD,"RECALIBRATE");
myblock->hd_frame[7] = HDC_RECAL;
if(send_command == ok)
{
    if(wait_for_int() == ok)
    {
        check_hd_status();
    }
}

```

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```
else
{
    if(wait_for_int() == ok)
        check_hd_status();
}
if(HD_STATUS1 == BAD_SEEK) HD_STATUS1 = 0;
break;

case DIAGNOSTIC:
watch_string(HARD,"DIAGNOSTIC");
/* make sure interrupts are disabled when changing the interrupt mask */
disable();
outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) & ~ 0x40);
outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & ~ 0x20);
enable();
if(not_busy() == ok) /* ok to start diag */
{
    outportb(HD_PORT+7,HDC_DIAG);
    if (not_busy() == ok) /* wait for completion */
    {
        if ((HD_ERROR = inportb(HD_PORT+1)) != 1)
        {
            HD_STATUS1 = BAD_HDC;
        }
    }
    else
    {
        HD_STATUS1 = TIME_OUT;
    }
}
break;

case GET_DISK_TYPE:
watch_string(HARD,"GET DISK TYPE");
// cyls = peek(hd_table_seg,hd_table_off)
// heads = peek(hd_table_seg,hd_table_off+2)
// sectors = peek(hd_table_seg,hd_table_off+14)

cx = hi_regs((peek(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off)-1) *
peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off+2) *
peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off+14));

dx = (peek(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off)-1) *
peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off+2) *
peekb(myblock->hd_table_seg,myblock->hd_table_off+14);

ax = 0x0300;
break;

default : /* invalid function code - return bad code */
HD_STATUS1 = BAD_CMD;
ax = (BAD_CMD << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
break;

} /* end of switch */

ax = (ax & 0x00ff) | (HD_STATUS1 << 8);
if((ax & 0xff00) != 0) fTags |= 1;

if(watch(HARD))
{
    // display port ins
    write_string("\n\rPort ins 1f1 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+1));
    write_string(" 1f2 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+2));
    write_string(" 1f3 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+3));
    write_string(" 1f4 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+4));
    write_string(" 1f5 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+5));
    write_string(" 1f6 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+6));
    write_string(" 1f7 = "); lbyte(inportb(HD_PORT+7));
    write_string("\n\r");
}

snapshot_out(HARD,&es);
release_Block(myblock);
}

/*=====
 * check for the controller not busy */
unsigned not_busy(void)
{
/* get current count and add 5 secs to it */
unsigned long delay_count = set_timeout_count(5 * 20);

enable();
```

```

// clear status byte
HD_STATUS1 = NO_ERROR;

do
{ if ((inportb(HD_PORT+7) & 0x80) == 0) return(ok); }
while (TIMER_LONG < delay_count);

// set time out error
HD_STATUS1 = TIME_OUT;

// return error condition to caller
return(error); /* time out */
}

/*=====
void interrupt cdecl far hdisk_isr (void)
{
HD_INT_FLAG = -1;
outportb(0xa0,0x20);
outportb(0x20,0x20); /* send eoi */
}

=====

Wait for the hardware interrupt to occur. Time-out and
return if no interrupt.

-----

unsigned wait_for_int (void)
{
/* this time out should be 3 secs */
unsigned long delay_count = set_timeout_count(3 * 20);
enable();

do
{ if(HD_INT_FLAG != 0) { HD_INT_FLAG = 0; HD_STATUS1 = 0; return (ok); }
while (TIMER_LONG < delay_count);
HD_INT_FLAG = 0; HD_STATUS1 |= TIME_OUT;
return(error);
}

=====

Wait for the data request. Time-out and
return if no request.

-----

unsigned wait_for_data (void)
{
unsigned long delay_count = set_timeout_count(2 * 20);

enable();
/* this time out should be 2 secs */
do
{ if((inportb(HD_PORT+7) & OUTPUT_REQ_BIT) != 0) { return(ok); }
while (TIMER_LONG < delay_count);
HD_STATUS1 = TIME_OUT;
return (error);
}

=====

recalibrate the drive.

-----


unsigned check_hd_status()
{
    if(check_status_byte() == error) return(error);
    if((inportb(HD_PORT+7) & 0x01) == 0) return(ok);
    return(check_error_byte());
}

-----


// This is a reminder of what is in the tables
//const char status_mask [5]={0x80,0x20,0x40,0x10,0x04};
//const char status_err [5]={0x00,0xcc,0xaa,0x40,0x11};
//const char status_key [5]={0x00,0x00,0x40,0x10,0x00};

unsigned check_status_byte()

```

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```
unsigned i;
unsigned char temp;
HD_STATUS1 = 0; // start with a clear
temp = HD_STATUS = inportb(HD_PORT+7);
if(watch(HARD))
    ( write_string("\n\rHD_STATUS = "); lbyte(temp); write_string("\n\r"));
if((temp & 0x80) != 0) return(ok);
if((temp & 0x20) != 0) { HD_STATUS1 = 0xcc; return(error); }
if((temp & 0x40) == 0) { HD_STATUS1 = 0xa8; return(error); }
if((temp & 0x10) == 0) { HD_STATUS1 = 0x40; return(error); }
if((temp & 0x04) != 0) { HD_STATUS1 = 0x11; }
return(ok);
}

//-----
const unsigned char error_table[8] = \
{
BAD_SECTOR, /* 0x80 - bad block */
BAD_ECC, /* 0x40 - bad data ecc */
UNDEF_ERR, /* 0x20 - not used */
BAD_SECTOR, /* 0x10 - id not found */
UNDEF_ERR, /* 0x08 - not used */
BAD_CMD, /* 0x04 - aborted command */
BAD_SEEK, /* 0x02 - trk 0 not found on recalibrate */
BAD_ADDRESS, /* 0x01 - data address mark not found */
};

unsigned check_error_byte()
{
unsigned i = 0, temp = 0;
temp = HD_ERROR = inportb(HD_PORT+1);
watch_string(HARD, "\n\rError Byte from 1F1 ="); watch_byte(HARD,temp);
while((temp & 0xff) != 0)
{
    if((temp & 0x80) != 0)
    {
        HD_STATUS1 = peekb(bios.cs(),&error_table[i]);
        watch_string(HARD, "\n\rError Byte returned ="); watch_byte(HARD,HD_STATUS1);
        return(error);
    }
    temp <= 1; i++;
}
watch_string(HARD, "\n\rNo error detected");
return(ok);
}

//-----
// check for transfer overrun
// if ecc mode than use 7f04 as max, else use 8000
unsigned check_overrun(nr_sectors,xfr_off,ecc_char)
{
if (nr_sectors < 0x7f) return(ok); // always ok

if((ecc_char & ecc_mode) != 0)
{
    if ((nr_sectors == 0x7f) && (xfr_off < 4)) return(ok);
}
else
{
    if(nr_sectors == 0x7f) return(ok);
    if((nr_sectors == 0x80) && (xfr_off == 0)) return(ok);
}
HD_STATUS1 = BAD_DMA;
return(error);
}

//-----
unsigned load_command(hdregs *myparm)
{
unsigned count = 10000;
// hdregs *myparm;
// myparm = arg;

// check for time out on drive being ready
// watch_string(HARD,"Load command entry\n\r");
do
{
    // check for controller and drive ready
    if (not_busy() == ok)
    {
        // watch_string(HARD,"not_busy OK\n\r");
        // select drive
        outportb(HD_PORT+6,myparm->hd_frame[6]);
    }
}
```

```

if (check_status_byte() == ok)
{
    // watch_string(HARD,"status byte was ok\n\r");
    // reset the interrupt flag byte
    HD_INT_FLAG = 0;

    // enable the interrupts
    disable();
    outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) & 0xbf);
    outportb(0x21,inportb(0x21) & 0xfb);
    enable();

    // check for retries
    if((HD_CONTROL & 0xc0) != 0)
    {
        if(((myparm->hd_frame[7] & 0xf0) >= 0x20) && \
           ((myparm->hd_frame[7] & 0xf0) <= 0x40))
            myparm->hd_fframe[7] |= 0x01;
    }
    if(watch(HARD))
    {
        // output the commands

        write_string("\n\rPort outs 1f1 = ");
        lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[1]);
        write_string(" 1f2 = "); lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[2]);
        write_string(" 1f3 = "); lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[3]);
        write_string(" 1f4 = "); lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[4]);
        write_string(" 1f5 = "); lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[5]);
        write_string(" 1f6 = "); lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[6]);
        write_string(" 1f7 = "); lbyte(myparm->hd_frame[7]);
        write_string("\n\r");

        outportb(HD_PORT+1,myparm->hd_frame[1]);
        outportb(HD_PORT+2,myparm->hd_frame[2]);
        outportb(HD_PORT+3,myparm->hd_frame[3]);
        outportb(HD_PORT+4,myparm->hd_frame[4]);
        outportb(HD_PORT+5,myparm->hd_frame[5]);
        outportb(HD_PORT+6,myparm->hd_frame[6]);
        outportb(HD_PORT+7,myparm->hd_frame[7]);
        return(ok);
    }
}
while(count-- > 0);
return(error);
}

/*********************************************************/
/*********************************************************/
/*********************************************************/

```



## T E N

**The Boot File**

The Boot.c File is the bootstrap function call routine which is used to load DOS from a floppy disk device. The boot routine attempts to read the boot sector of the specified drive and if successful transfers control to the loaded routine (which in turn loads the remainder of the operating system).

To allow flexibility in the way the system attempts to boot, there is a "boot\_list" in the boot program which defines the drives which will be used in the boot process. This list may specify the hard or floppy drives in any order.

If your Boot requirements are non-standard or specific to a dedicated application, you may wish to modify the standard boot routine. All the standard system initialization has been done by the POD when the boot routine is finally called. A specialized boot program may load an operating system or start executing an application directly. If one is not using an operating system to support an application, one must not design and code the application so that it makes reference to non-existent operating system features!

The boot routine should exit if the boot process is not completed. This will allow the POD routine to attempt an alternate path, such as defaulting to SysVue.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios bootstrap routine
* Version: 1.00
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 12-01-88
* Filename: atboot.c
* Language: MS C 5.1
* Functional Description:
* This module does the bootstrap load to get DOS loaded and running.
* We look at the boot list to determine what drives should be used for the boot attempts.
* The boot sector is loaded into 0000:7C00 and control is transferred to that address.
* If the boot cannot be performed, then we exit.
* Arguments:
* Return:
* Version History:
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
unsigned boot_setup(void);
void interrupt cdecl far boot(void);
void boot_jump(unsigned,unsigned,unsigned);
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
```

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```
/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */

// this is the list of possible boot devices, in the order in which they should be tried.
// If all the named drives are tried and fail, then exit
// The list is terminated by a -1

const unsigned boot_list[] ={0x00,0x80,0x01,0x81,-1,};

//This example shows the boot preference order to be:
// Drives A:, C:, B:, and D:

// Programmers Caution:
// Some versions of DOS may not allow booting from B: or D: due to DOS internal programs
// defaulting to A: or C:, regardless of the drive number being passed in the DL register
// to the DOS boot sector routine.

// Programmers Note:
// This version of boot checks for a particular signature in the last two (2) bytes of the boot
// sector. This seems to be an IBM or Microsoft convention on their boot records. Boot records of
// operating systems other than IBM or MS may not have this signature. If you wish to modify the
// boot module to accept any value for the signature, you may delete the signature comparison logic
// accordingly.

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */

#define boot_retrys 2
#define reset_flag 0x72
#define switch_byte 0x10

/* P R O G R A M */

unsigned boot_setup(void)
{
    link_interrupt(0x19,boot);
    return(ok);
}

//----- The boot routine -----
variables
end_variables bootregs;

void interrupt cdecl far boot(interrupt_registers)
{
    unsigned i,break_flag,boot_drive,boot_index;
    bootregs *myblock;
    myblock = acquire_block(BOOT);
    snapshot_in(BOOT,&es);

    //write_string("----- Booting ----- \n\r");

    // clear the boot area
    for (i = 0x7c00; i < 0x7e00; pokeb(0x0000,i++,0));

    for(boot_index = 0; peekcs(&boot_list[boot_index]) != -1; boot_index++)
    {
        for (i=0;i < boot_retrys; i++)
        {
            boot_drive = peekcs(&boot_list[boot_index]);

            watch_string(BOOT," \n\r Booting from Drive # ");
            watch_byte(BOOT,boot_drive);
            watch_string(BOOT," \n\r Attempt # ");
            watch_byte(BOOT,i);

            myblock -> ax = 0x0000; // try a reset
            myblock -> dx = boot_drive;
            sys_int(0x13,myblock);
            /* If no carry returned on reset then try booting */
            if((myblock -> flags & carry_bit) == 0)
            {
                myblock -> ax = 0x0201; /* try to read boot sector */
                myblock -> bx = 0x7c00;
                myblock -> es = 0x0000;
                myblock -> dx = boot_drive;
                myblock -> cx = 0x0001;
                sys_int(0x13,myblock);
                if((myblock -> flags & carry_bit) == 0)
                /* no carry returned on read*/
                {
                    /* check for boot sector signature */
                    /* See programmers note above */
                    if (peek(0x0000,0x7dfe) == 0xaa55)
```

```
RESET_FLAG = 0; /* clear reset flag */
enable();
release_block(myblock);
watch_string(BOOT, "\n\rJumping to boot sector\n\r");
/* go and don't return */
boot_jump(0x0000, 0x7c00, boot_drive);
}
else
{
    watch_string(BOOT, "\n\rSignature was ");
    watch_word(BOOT, peek(0x0000, 0x7dfe));
}
else
{
// check for a timeout on the disk controller
if((myblock->ax & 0x8000) != 0) i = boot_retrys + 1;
    watch_string(BOOT, "\n\rCarry returned on Read");
}
else
{
    watch_string(BOOT, "\n\rCarry returned on Reset");
}
}
}
watch_string(BOOT, "\n\rRetrys exhausted");
snapshot_out(BOOT, &es);
release_block(myblock);
}

/*=====*/
```



## E L E V E N

**The Cassette Driver**

Although an AT Type machine does not have a cassette interface, a driver is provided in the event a program makes a cassette function call. The function call returns a cassette error condition to the caller. The A-Type machines use an extended set of functions codes for AT specific functions for joystick input, virtual mode control, multi-tasking hooks, sys-request functions, etc.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios cassette function
* Version: 1.01
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: atcass.c
* Functional Description:
* This module returns an error condition in AX in the event a user program calls this function.
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

void interrupt cdecl far cassette_io(interrupt_registers);

/* G L O B A L S */

extern unsigned char config_table;
extern _cassette_io;

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */

#define OPEN_DEVICE 0x80
#define CLOSE_DEVICE 0x81
#define PROGRAM_TERMINATE 0x82
#define EVENT_WAIT 0x83
#define JOYSTICK_SUPPORT 0x84
#define SYS_REQ_KEY 0x85
#define WAIT 0x86
#define MOVE_BLOCK 0x87
#define GET_EXTENDED_MEMORY_SIZE 0x88
#define SWITCH_TO_PROTECTED_MODE 0x89
#define DEVICE_BUSY 0x90
#define INTERRUPT_COMPLETE 0x91
#define RETURN_SYSTEM_CONFIG_PARAMETERS 0xC0

#define rtc_wait_flag 0xa0

/* P R O G R A M */
-----
unsigned cassette_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x15,&_cassette_io); return(ok);
}
-----
void interrupt cdecl far cassette_io(interrupt_registers)
{
    enable();
    setds_system_segment();
```

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---

```
snapshot_in(CASSETTE,&es);
switch (ax >> 8)
{
    case OPEN_DEVICE:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Open Device");
        break;

    case CLOSE_DEVICE:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Close Device");
        break;

    case PROGRAM_TERMINATE:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Program Terminate");
        break;

    case EVENT_WAIT:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Event Wait");
        if((RTC_WAIT_FLAG & 0x01) != 0)
        {
            flags |= carry_bit;
        }
        else
        {
            outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) & 0xfe);
            USER_FLAG_SEG = es;
            USER_FLAG = bx;
            RTC_LOW = cx;
            RTC_HIGH = dx;
            RTC_WAIT_FLAG = 1;
            // enable PIE in cmos chip
            outcmos(0x0b,(incmos(0x0b) & 0x7f) | 0x40);
        }
        break;

    case JOYSTICK_SUPPORT:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Joystick");
        break;

    case SYS_REQ_KEY:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Sys Req Key");
        break;

    case WAIT:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Wait");
        if((RTC_WAIT_FLAG & 0x01) != 0) flags |= carry_bit;
        else
        {
            disable();
            outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) & 0xfe);
            USER_FLAG_SEG = ds;
            USER_FLAG = rtc_wait_flag;
            RTC_HIGH = cx;
            RTC_LOW = dx;
            RTC_WAIT_FLAG = 1;
            // enable PIE in cmos chip
            outcmos(0x0b,(incmos(0x0b) & 0x7f) | 0x40);
            enable();

            do {} while((RTC_WAIT_FLAG & 0x80) == 0);
            RTC_WAIT_FLAG = 0;
        }
        break;

    case MOVE_BLOCK:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Move Block");
        // format = virtual_move(word_count,global_segment,global_offset)
        ax = virtual_move(cx,es,si);
        if (ax != 0) flags |= carry_bit;
        break;

    case GET_EXTENDED_MEMORY_SIZE:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Get Ext Mem Size");
        ax = Tncmos(0x31);
        ax = ax << 8;
        ax |= incmos(0x30);
        break;

    case SWITCH_TO_PROTECTED_MODE:
        watch_string(CASSETTE,"Switch to Virtual");
        // format = virtual_mode(index,global_segment,global_offset)
        ax = virtual_mode(bx,es,si);
        break;

    case DEVICE_BUSY:
```

```
watch_string(CASSETTE,"Device Busy");
flags^= ~0x0001;
break;

case INTERRUPT_COMPLETE:
watch_string(CASSETTE,"Interrupt Complete");
break;

case RETURN_SYSTEM_CONFIG_PARAMETERS:
watch_string(CASSETTE,"Open Device");
es = bios_cs();
bx = &config_table;
flags ^= ~carry_bit;
ax &= 0x00ff;
break;

default:
watch_string(CASSETTE,"Default");
ax = (ax & 0x00ff) | 0x8600;
flags |= carry_bit;
break;
}
snapshot_out(CASSETTE,&es);
}
```



## T W E L V E

**The Parallel Printer Driver**

The Parallel Printer Driver is an Interrupt (0x17) function call that is used to communicate with the printer. A parallel printer is one which has a "Centronics" interface and is referred to as LPT1, 2, or 3. The printer driver provides simple commands to initialize the printer or send a character to the printer.

Although a hardware interrupt line (IRQ7) is normally assigned for the parallel printer port, interrupt operation is not supported by the standard Bios driver. The typical printer adapter has logic to support the use of the interrupt, but it is not clear how the interrupt would be used if there is more than one printer port installed. Some print spooling programs may possibly use the interrupt, but we are not aware of it. There may also be logic in some printer adapters to disable the output data latch, thereby allowing a bi-directional data capability. The control logic to use such a feature is not a standard Bios function.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT Bios LPT driver
*
* Version: 1.02
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 2-25-89
*
* Filename: atlpt.c
*
* Language: MS C 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
*
* Int 0x17 - parallel printer driver
*
* Input:
*
* AH = 0 print the character in AL
* on return, ah = 1 if character could not be printed
* (time out).
* Other bits set as on normal status call
*
* AH = 1 initialize the printer port
* returns with AH set with printer status
*
* AH = 2 read the printer status into (ah)
*    7   6   5   4   3   2   1   0
*    |   |   |   |   +--- time out
*    |   |   |   +----- unused
*    |   |   +----- unused
*    |   +----- 1 = i/o error
*    +----- 1 = selected
*    +----- 1 = out of paper
*    +----- 1 = acknowledge
*    +----- 1 = not busy
*
* DX = printer to be used (0,1,2)
*
* Arguments:
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Chnaged the time out loop and pre-cleared (AH) to insure returning status was clean.
* 1.02
* Pre-cleared the port list before scanning to prevent phantoms LPT's being assumed.
*****

```

## E-12-2 The Parallel Printer Driver

---

```
/* INCLUDE FILES */
#include "atkit.h"

/* FUNCTION PROTOTYPES */
unsigned lpt_setup(void);
void scan_lpt(unsigned);
void interrupt cdecl far printer_io(interrupt_registers);

/* GLOBAL VARIABLES */
extern unsigned lpt_list[4];
extern unsigned char lpt_timeout_list[4];

/* GLOBAL CONSTANTS */
extern _printer_io;

/* LOCAL DEFINITIONS */
#define print_the_character 0
#define init_the_port 1
#define read_the_status 2
#define equipment 0x10

/* PROGRAM */
unsigned lpt_setup()
{
    unsigned i;
    link_interrupt(0x17,&_printer_io);
    for (i=0;i<3;i++) poke40(&lpt_list[i],0); // pre-clear the list
    scan_lpt(0x3bc);
    scan_lpt(0x378);
    scan_lpt(0x278);
    for (i=0;i<3;i++) pokeb40(&lpt_timeout_list[i],0x14);
    return(ok);
}

void scan_lpt(unsigned port)
{
    unsigned i;
    outportb(port,0x55);
    if (inportb(port) == 0x55)
    {
        EQUIP_FLAG += 0x4000;
        for (i = 0; ((i < 3) && (peek40(&lpt_list[i]) != 0)); i++);
        poke40(&lpt_list[i],port);
    }
}

//=====
void interrupt cdecl far printer_io(interrupt_registers)
{
    unsigned port,i,j;
    setds system_segment();
    snapshot_in[LPT,&es];
    if (dx <= 2) /* valid lpt number ? */
    {
        port = peek40(&lpt_list[dx]); /* get port number */
        switch (ax >> 8 ) { /* test for valid commands */

            case print_the_character:
                ax = ax & 0x00ff;
                watch_string(LPT,"Print Char");
                outportb (port,ax); /* output character to port */

                // see if the printer is busy
                for (j = (peekb40(&lpt_timeout_list[dx]) & 0xff); j > 0; j-- )
                {
                    for (i= 1000; i > 0 ; i-- )
                    {
                        if (((inportb(port+1) & 0x80) != 0) break; /* if not busy */
                    }
                    if (((inportb(port+1) & 0x80) != 0) break; /* if not busy */
                }

                if (((inportb(port+1) & 0x80) != 0) /* if not busy */
                {
                    outportb (port+2, 0xd); /* set strobe high */
                    outportb (port+2, 0xc); /* set strobe low */
                }
        }
    }
}
```

```
    ax = (((inportb(port+1) & 0xf8) ^ 0x48) << 8) | (ax & 0xff);
}
else // port was busy, so device not available
{
    ax = (((ax | 0x0100 ) & 0xf9ff) ^ 0x48); /* printer timed-out */
}
break;

case init_the_port:
ax = ax &~0x0fff;
watch_string(LPT,"Init Port");

outportb (port+2, 0x08); /* set init line low */
/* delay for reset to take place */
for (i=0; i <= 4000; i++ );
outportb (port+2, 0x0c); /* set init line high */
goto read_status;

case read_the_status :
ax = ax &~0x0fff;
watch_string(LPT,"Read Status");

read_status:
ax = (((inportb(port+1) & 0xf8) ^ 0x48) << 8) | ax;
}
snapshot_out(LPT,&es);
}

=====
/*=====*/
```



## T H I R T E E N

### The Comm Driver

The Comm Driver is an Interrupt (0x14) Function Call that is used to communicate with the serial port adapters.

Note - The most common problem involved with serial devices on the Com ports is the incorrect use of the control signals, CTS, RTS, DTR, and DSR. If you experience problems in communication, try jumpering CTS to RTS, and DSR to DTR.

This may help to localize and correct the problem.

The extended function calls available on some PS/2 machines are not included in this standard driver. These are relatively simple to add if you wish to enhance your Com Driver.

Note - The standard serial port Bios driver does not support interrupt driven operation. Most tele-communication software packages will replace the Bios driver with their own driver.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios com port driver
* Version: 1.02
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 2-25-89
* Filename: atcomm.c
* Language: MS C 5.1
* Functional Description:
* Interrupt 0x14 -- Serial Port Driver
* Provides a function call for initializing, sending data, receiving data, and reading the status
* of an asynchronous adapter.
* Upon Entry:
* DX = Logical Async device # (0,1,2,3) for COM1,2,3,4
* Initialize the port:
* AH = 00h
* AL = initialization parameters:
* Bit      Meaning
* -----  -----
* Bits    7,6,5
*        0 0 0   110  Baud
*        0 0 1   150
*        0 1 0   300
*        0 1 1   600
*        1 0 0   1200
*        1 0 1   2400
*        1 1 0   4800
*        1 1 1   9600
* Bits    4,3
*        0 0     No parity
*        0 1     Odd parity
*        1 0     No parity
*        1 1     Even parity
* Bit     2
```

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```
*      0      One stop bit
*      1      Two stop bits
*
* Bits   1,0
*       0 0    5 bits/char
*       0 1    6 bits/char
*       1 0    7 bits/char
*       1 1    8 bits/char
*
* Send   a character:
* AH     = 01h
* AL     = the character to send
*
* Receive a character:
* AH     = 02h
*
* Read   the port status:
* AH     = 03h
*
* Upon   Exit:
*
* For   'Initialize the port' (AH=0):
* AH     = Line status
* Bit   Meaning if = 1
* ---
* 7     Time out
* 6     Tx Empty (TEMT)
* 5     Tx Holding Register Empty (THRE)
* 4     Break Interrupt (BI)
* 3     Framing Error (FE)
* 2     Parity Error (PE)
* 1     Overrun Error (OE)
* 0     Data Ready (DR)
*
* AL     = Modem status
* Bit   Meaning if = 1
* ---
* 7     Data Carrier Detect (DCD)
* 6     Ring Indicator (RI)
* 5     Data Set Ready (DSR)
* 4     Clear To Send (CTS)
* 3     Delta Data Carrier Detect (DDCD)
* 2     Trailing Edge Ring Indicator (TERI)
* 1     Delta Data Set Ready (DDSR)
* 0     Delta Clear To Send (DCTS)
*
* For 'Send a character (AH = 1):
* AL = unchanged (character that was sent)
* AH = Completion code
* 1XXX XXXX - Time out, char not sent
* 0YYY YYY - Tx Successful, Bits 6 - 0 = Line status
*
* For 'Receive a character (AH = 2):
* AL = The received char, if successful
* AH = Completion code
* 1XXX XXXX - Time out, no char received
* 00Y0 YYY0 - Data received, but error detected
* See   Line status Bit Definitions
*
* For 'Get port status' (AH=3):
* AH = Line status (see above)
* AL = Modem status (see above)
*
* Global Variables:
*
* Async_adapter_port_list (word * 4):
*
* Word 0 = adapter address of COM1
* Word 1 = adapter address of COM2
* Word 2 = adapter address of COM3
* Word 3 = adapter address of COM4
*
* These four words contain the hardware port addresses of the async adapters. Four async
* adapters can be supported although the operating system may only recognize COM 1,2.
*
* Async_time_out_count (byte * 4):
*
* Byte 0 = time out count value for COM1
* Byte 1 = time out count value for COM2
* Byte 2 = time out count value for COM3
* Byte 3 = time out count value for COM4
*
* The time outs for no response use the contents of these cells for a count.
*
* Registers Modified:
* AX is modified
```

```

/*
 * Arguments:
 *
 * Return:
 *
 * Version History:
 *   1.01
 *   1.02
 *     Get_divisor corrected by using a peek to reference the baud rate table
 *     Pre-cleared comm list before scanning to insure no phantoms present.
 */
***** */

/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
unsigned comm_setup(void);
void scan_comm(unsigned);
void interrupt cdecl far comm_io(interrupt_registers);

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
extern unsigned comm_list [4];
extern unsigned char comm_timeout_list [4];

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
const unsigned baud_table[8]={1047,768,384,192,96,48,24,12};
extern _comm_io;

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
/* 8250/16450 register offsets from base address */

#define tx_data_reg 0x00
#define rx_data_reg 0x00
#define div_lsb_reg 0x00
#define div_msb_reg 0x01
#define int_enb_reg 0x01
#define int_id_Reg 0x02
#define line_ctrl_Reg 0x03
#define modem_ctrl_Reg 0x04
#define line_stat_Reg 0x05
#define modem_stat_Reg 0x06

/* 8250/16450 register bit definitions */

#define txrdy    0x60
#define rxrdy    0x01
#define dsr_bit  0x20
#define dtr_bit  0x01
#define cts_bit  0x10
#define rts_bit  0x02

/* opcode definitions */

#define initialize 0x00
#define send_character 0x01
#define rx_character 0x02
#define read_status 0x03

#define equipment 0x10
#define timeout_bit 0x8000

/* P R O G R A M */

// SCAN Com Ports -
// This routine is called to determine how many serial ports are in the system

unsigned comm_setup(void)
{
  unsigned i;
  link_interrupt(0x14,&comm_io);
  for (i=0;i<4;i++) poke40(&comm_list[i],0); // insure list is clear before scanning
  scan_comm(0x3f8);
  scan_comm(0x2f8);
  scan_comm(0x3e8);
  scan_comm(0x2e8);
  for (i=0;i<4;i++) pokeb40(&comm_timeout_list[i],0x01);
  return(ok);
}

void scan_comm(unsigned port)

```

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---

```
{  
    unsigned i;  
    outportb(port+3,0x55);  
    if (inportb(port+3) == 0x55)  
    {  
        EQUIP_FLAG += 0x0200;  
        for (i = 0;((i < 4) && (peek40(&comm_list[i]) != 0));i++);  
        poke40(&comm_list[i],port);  
    }  
  
    void interrupt cdecl far comm_io(interrupt_registers)  
    {  
        unsigned port_address, divisor;  
        unsigned time_out;  
        unsigned long timeout_counter;  
        setds_system_segment();  
  
        snapshot_in(COM,&es);  
  
        if (dx > 3) /* check for DX out of range */  
        {  
            watch_string(COM,"Bad Port");  
        }  
        else  
        {  
            /* get the time out parameter */  
            time_out = peekb40(&comm_timeout_list[dx]);  
  
            /* scale to use as a major loop counter */  
            time_out *= 10; /* figure 1 count = 500 millisec = 10 clock ticks  
            /* get the port address for the (DX) specified device */  
            port_address = peek40(&comm_list[dx]);  
  
            /* if no serial port for this logical device....*/  
            if (port_address == 0)  
            {  
                /* return with a time-out error */  
                ax |= timeout_bit;  
            }  
            else  
            {  
                switch (ax >> 8)  
                {  
                    case initialize: /* INITIALIZE THE PORT */  
                        ax &= 0x00ff;  
                        watch_string(COM,"Init Port");  
                        /* set divisor latch enable */  
                        outportb(port_address+line_ctrl_reg,0x80);  
                        /* get the divisor */  
                        divisor = peekcs(&baud_table[(ax >> 5) & 0x0007]);  
                        /* load the baud rate divisor into the 8250 */  
                        outportb(port_address+div_lsb_reg,divisor);  
                        outportb(port_address+div_msb_reg,(divisor >> 8));  
                        /* set length,parity,stop_bits */  
                        outportb(port_address+line_ctrl_reg,(ax & 0x1f));  
                        /* set DTR and RTS lines */  
                        outportb(port_address+modem_ctrl_reg,(0x08 | dtr_bit | rts_bit));  
                        ax = inportb(port_address+line_stat_reg);  
                        ax = (ax << 8) | inportb(port_address+modem_stat_reg);  
                        break;  
  
                    case send_character: /* SEND A CHARACTER */  
                        watch_string(COM,"Send Char");  
  
                        /* start with clean return status */  
                        ax &= 0x00ff;  
  
                        /* set dtr and rts */  
                        outportb(port_address+modem_ctrl_reg, inportb(port_address+modem_ctrl_reg) | dtr_bit | rts_bit);  
                        /* check dsr and cts */  
  
                        timeout_counter = set_timeout_count(time_out);  
  
                        while(((inportb(port_address+modem_stat_reg) & (dsr_bit | cts_bit)) != (dsr_bit | cts_bit)))  
                        {  
                            if (TIMER_LONG >= timeout_counter) (ax |= timeout_bit; break;)  
                        }  
                        if ((ax & 0xff00) == 0) /* OK - no timeout */  
                        {  
                            timeout_counter = set_timeout_count(time_out);  
                            while((inportb(port_address+line_stat_reg) & txrdy) != txrdy)  
                            {  
                                if (TIMER_LONG >= timeout_counter) (ax |= timeout_bit; break;)  
                            }  
                        }  
                }  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```

        if (TIMER_LONG >= timeout_counter) {ax |= timeout_bit; break;}
    }
    if ((ax & 0xff00) == 0) /* OK - no timeout */
    {
        /* send the character */
        outportb(port_address+tx_data_reg,ax);
        /* return the status in AH */
        ax = (ax & 0x0ff) | (inportb(port_address+line_stat_reg) << 8);
    }
}
break;

case rx_character: /* RECEIVE A CHARACTER */
watch_string(COM,"Rx Char");

/* start with clean return status */
ax &= 0x0ff;

/* set DTR out */
outportb(port_address+modem_ctrl_reg, inportb(port_address+modem_ctrl_reg) | dtr_bit);

/* check DSR */
timeout_counter = set_timeout_count(time_out);
while(((?inportb(port_address+modem_stat_reg) & dsr_bit) != dsr_bit))
{
    if (TIMER_LONG >= timeout_counter) {ax |= timeout_bit; break;}
}
if ((ax & 0xff00) == 0) /* OK - no timeout */
{
    /* check for data ready */
    timeout_counter = set_timeout_count(time_out);
    while(((?inportb(port_address+line_stat_reg) & rxrdy) != rxrdy))
    {
        if (TIMER_LONG >= timeout_counter) {ax |= timeout_bit; break;}
    }
    if ((ax & 0xff00) == 0) /* OK - no timeout */
    {
        ax = ((inportb(port_address+line_stat_reg) & 0x1e) << 8) | inportb(port_address+rx_data_reg);
    }
}
break;

case read_status: /* READ THE STATUS */
watch_string(COM,"Read Status");

ax = inportb(port_address+line_stat_reg);
ax = (ax << 8) | inportb(port_address+modem_stat_reg);
break;

default:
watch_string(COM,"Bad Command");
ax |= timeout_bit;
}

}
snapshot_out(COM,&es);
}

/*=====

```



## F O U R T E E N

### The Timer Interrupt

---

The Timer Interrupt is called by the hardware real-time clock every 53 milliseconds to increment the time count. This count is used by DOS to calculate the time of day.

Note - A user supplied routine may be linked to the timer interrupt routine, using interrupt 1C. This user routine should be of minimal execution time, since other interrupts are disabled while it is running. If it retains control too long, other interrupts may be missed.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios real time clock service routine
* Version: 1.01
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: attmr.c
* Language: MS C 5.1
* Functional Description:
* Interrupt 0x08
* This routine services the real time clock interrupt.
* Arguments:
* Return:
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
void interrupt cdecl far timer_int(interrupt_registers);

/* G L O B A L S */
extern _timer_int;

/* C O N S T A N T S */
/* D E F I N E S */
/* P R O G R A M */
unsigned timer_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x08,&_timer_int); return(ok);
}

//=====
void interrupt cdecl far timer_int(interrupt_registers)
{
    /* increment timer count check for 24 hour value */
    if(++TIMER_LONG >= TIMER_LONG_MAX) { TIMER_LONG = 0; TIMER_OFL = 1; }
    if(--MOTOR_COUNT == 0)
```

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---

```
{  
    MOTOR_STATUS &= 0xf0; /* turn off motor running bits */  
    outportb(0x3f2,0x0c); /* turn off any FD motors */  
}  
timer_chain();  
eoi_sequence();  
}
```

## FIFTEEN

### The Time of Day Function

The Time of Day Function is used to read and set the timer counter, which is incremented by the timer interrupt.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT Bios time of day function
*
* Version: 1.03
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 10-20-89
*
* Filename: attod.c
*
* Language: MS C 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
*
* Interrupt 0x1A - Time of Day function call -
*   read/set the clock
*
* Interrupt 1AH - Time of Day function call
*   read/set the internal clock or the 6818 clock chip
*
* AH = 0 - read the clock.
* returns:
* CX = high word of count
* DX = low word of count
* AL = 0 if no 24 hour rollover since last read
*
* AH = 1 - set the clock
* CX = high word of count
* DX = low word of count
*
* AH = 2 - read the time from the 6818 clock
* returns:
* CH = BCD hours
* CL = BCD minutes
* DH = BCD seconds
* CY flag if 6818 not running
*
* AH = 3 - set the time to the 6818 clock
* CH = BCD hours
* CL = BCD minutes
* DH = BCD seconds
* DL = 0/1 = normal/daylight time
*
* AH = 4 - read the date from the 6818 clock
* returns:
* CH = BCD century
* CL = BCD year
* DH = BCD month
* DL = BCD day
* CY flag if 6818 not running
*
* AH = 5 - set the date to the 6818 clock
* CH = BCD century
* CL = BCD year
* DH = BCD month
* DL = BCD day
*
* AH = 6 - set the 6818 alarm
* CH = BCD hours from set time
* CL = BCD minutes from set time
* DH = BCD seconds from set time
* returns:
* CY flag if alarm already set
* NOTE: function 6 is hooked through Int. 4ah, user replaceable.
*
* AH = 7 - reset the 6818 alarm off
```

## E-15-2 The Time of Day Function

---

```
* Version History
* 1.01
* Added enable(); coming into ISR. Fixed Procomm Exiting hangup problem
* 1.02
* Changed outcmos(32... to outcmos(0x32... for setting century byte
* 1.03
* Replaced peeks and pokes with casts
*
***** */

/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */

unsigned time_of_day_setup();
void interrupt cdecl far time_of_day(interrupt_registers);
unsigned update_in_progress(void);
unsigned initialize_status(void);

/* G L O B A L S */

extern _time_of_day;

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */

#define READ_CURRENT_CLOCK 0x00
#define SET_CURRENT_CLOCK 0x01
#define READ_RTC 0x02
#define SET_RTC 0x03
#define READ_DATE 0x04
#define SET_DATE 0x05
#define SET_ALARM 0x06
#define RESET_ALARM 0x07

/* P R O G R A M */

unsigned time_of_day_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x1a,&_time_of_day);
    return(ok);
}

void interrupt cdecl far time_of_day(interrupt_registers)
{
    enable();
    setds_system_segment();
    snapshot_in(TOD,&es);
    switch(ax >> 8)
    {
        case READ_CURRENT_CLOCK:
            watch_string(TOD,"Read Current Clock");
            ax = 7ax & 0xff00 | TIMER_OF;
            dx = TIMER_LOW;
            cx = TIMER_HIGH;
            TIMER_OF = 0;
            break;

        case SET_CURRENT_CLOCK:
            watch_string(TOD,"Set Current Clock");
            TIMER_LOW = dx;
            TIMER_HIGH = cx;
            TIMER_OF = 0;
            break;

        case READ_RTC:
            watch_string(TOD,"Read Time");
            flags &= ~carry_bit;
            if (update_in_progress() == error)
            {
                flags |= carry_bit;
            }
            else
            {
                dx = incmos(0);
                dx = dx << 8;
                cx = incmos(4);
                cx = (cx << 8) | incmos(2);
            }
            break;

        case SET_RTC:
            watch_string(TOD,"Set Time");
            if (update_in_progress() == error)
            {

```

```

{
    initialize_status();
}
outcmos(0x00,dx >> 8);
outcmos(0x02,cx);
outcmos(0x04,cx >> 8);
outcmos(0x0b,(incmos(0x0b) & 0x30) | (dx & 0x0001) | 2);
break;

case READ_DATE:
watch_string(TOD,"Read Date");
flags &= ~carry_bit;
if (update_in_progress() == error)
{
    flags |= carry_bit;
}
else
{
    cx = incmos(0x32);
    cx = (cx << 8) | incmos(9);
    dx = incmos(8);
    dx = (dx << 8) | incmos(7);
}
break;

case SET_DATE:
watch_string(TOD,"Set Date");
if (update_in_progress() == error)
{
    initialize_status();
}
outcmos(6,0);
outcmos(7,dx);
outcmos(8,dx >> 8);
outcmos(9,cx);
outcmos(0x32,cx >> 8);
outcmos(0x0b,(incmos(0x0b) & 0x7f));
break;

case SET_ALARM:
watch_string(TOD,"Set Alarm");
flags &= ~carry_bit;
if((incmos(0x0b) & 0x20) != 0)
{
    ax = 0;
    flags |= carry_bit;
}
else
{
    if(update_in_progress() == error)
    {
        initialize_status();
    }
    outcmos(1,dx >> 8);
    outcmos(3,cx);
    outcmos(5,cx >> 8);
    outportb(0xa1,inportb(0xa1) | 0xfe);
    outcmos(0x0b,(incmos(0x0b) & 0x7f) | 0x20);
}
break;

case RESET_ALARM:
watch_string(TOD,"Reset Alarm");
outcmos(0x0b,incmos(0x0b) & 0x57);
break;

default:
watch_string(TOD,"Bad Command");
flags |= carry_bit;
break;
}
snapshot_out(TOD,&es);
}

//-----
unsigned update_in_progress(void)
{
    unsigned j;
    for(j = 0; j < 600; j++)
    {
        if ((incmos(0x0a) & 0x80) == 0) return(ok);
    }
    return(error);
}

```

## **E-15-4 The Time of Day Function**

---

```
>  
unsigned initialize_status(void)  
{  
    outcmos(0x0a,26);  
    outcmos(0x0b,82);  
    incmos(0x0c);  
    incmos(0x0d);  
}
```

## S I X T E E N

### The Print Screen Function

The Print Screen Function is used to print the screen contents to LPT1.

Some additions and enhancements could be:

- \* Creating an "active\_printer" flag (in system ram) which could be used to direct screen prints to LPT2 or LPT3.
- \* Providing a screen print function to output on a serial channel.
- \* Using this module as a guideline for creating a print-screen to disk-file applications program.

There are various public-domain print-screen functions which support video adapters other than MDA and CGA. An EGA print-screen routine for instance, has been circulated on various Bulletin Board Systems. The logic of one of these could be adapted to replace the standard print screen function , if desired.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: AT Bios print screen function
* Version: 1.01
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-20-89
* Filename: atprsc.c
* Language: MSC 5.1
* Functional Description:
* Interrupt 0x05
* This module copies the contents of the screen buffer to the printer.
* Arguments:
* None
* Return:
* None
* Version History:
* 1.01
* replaced peeks and pokes with casts
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
void interrupt cdecl far print_screen(interrupt_registers);
void print_screen_service(struct prscregs *);
/* G L O B A L S */
extern _print_screen;
/* P R O G R A M */
void print_screen_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x05,&_print_screen);
}
variables
```

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```
unsigned columns_per_line,old_cursor,current_cursor;
unsigned char row,col,current_char;
end_variables prscregs;

void interrupt cdecl far print_screen(interrupt_registers)
{
    prscregs *myblock;
    unsigned print_error = false;
    myblock = acquire_block(PRSC);
    if (PRSC_BUSY != T) /* check status byte */
    {
        PRSC_BUSY = 1; /* set status = busy */
        myblock->ax = 0x0f00;
        sys_int(0x10,myblock);
        /* get current screen mode */
        myblock->columns_per_line = myblock->ax >> 8;

        myblock->ax = 0x000d;
        myblock->dx = 0;
        sys_int(0x17,myblock);
        myblock->ax = 0x000a;
        myblock->dx = 0;
        sys_int(0x17,myblock);

        myblock->ax = 0x0300;
        sys_int(0x10,myblock);
        /* Read and save old cursor position */
        myblock->old_cursor = myblock->dx;
        myblock->row = myblock->col = 0;

        for (myblock->row = 0;
             (myblock->row < 25) & !print_error;
             myblock->row++)
        {
            for (myblock->col = 0;
                 (myblock->col < myblock->columns_per_line) & !print_error;
                 myblock->col++)
            {
                // set cursor position
                myblock->ax = 0x0200;
                myblock->dx = (myblock->row <<8) | myblock->col;
                sys_int(0x10,myblock);

                // read character at cursor
                myblock->ax = 0x0800;
                myblock->bx = 0;
                sys_int(0x10,myblock);

                // print character
                myblock->current_char = myblock->ax;
                if (myblock->current_char==0) myblock->current_char = 0x20;
                myblock->dx = 0;
                myblock->ax = myblock->current_char & 0x00ff;
                sys_int(0x17,myblock);
                if(?myblock->ax & 0x0100) != 0) print_error = true;
            }
            // do the cr-lf at end of columns
            myblock->ax = 0x000d;
            myblock->dx = 0;
            sys_int(0x17,myblock);
            myblock->ax = 0x000a;
            myblock->dx = 0;
            sys_int(0x17,myblock);
            if(?myblock->ax & 0x0100) != 0) print_error = true;
        }
        myblock->ax = 0x0200; // reset cursor to original position
        myblock->dx = myblock->old_cursor;
        sys_int(0x10,myblock);
        PRSC_BUSY = 0; /* clear status = not busy */
    }
}
```

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### The Vue File

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The Vue.c file is the source code for SysVue, the resident monitor/debugger program. SysVue allows the user to gain access to the system features from any program. If the bootstrap operation is unsuccessful, program control is automatically transferred to SysVue.

SysVue has some Watch features built-in to assist in development/debugging. The "select" command is used to set and clear specific bits in the watch\_selection variable. These bits are checked when "watch" is "on" and display commands imbedded in the various function routines are enabled. These display commands are:

```
"watch_string(device,"string");  
"watch_word(device,word_value);  
"watch_byte(device,byte_value);
```

These watch commands check to see if the corresponding "device" bit is set in the watch\_flag variable. If so, the command is executed. When developing and debugging code, this feature is extremely handy. For a final version, one may wish to delete the "watch\_xxx()" calls to save space and increase speed.

The SysVue "SI" command is used to display pertinent data about the Bios and the system. It is especially handy for tech support communications, allowing the user to use the "SI" command to display and convey commonly requested information to the technically oriented person. Since it also shows configuration information, it permits a quick peek at the current system configuration.

The system Setup is accomplished by the use of the:  
"Time" and "Date" commands to set the clock\calendar  
"Drive" to set the number and type of floppy and hard drives  
"Video" to set the type of video adapter  
"Mem" to set the size of system and extended memory  
"Npx" to declare the presence of the numeric processor  
"Types" to display the hard disk types in the resident type table  
"Cmos" to display the checksum value of the CMOS RAM

The redirection command ">",">con",">lpt" are used to copy the screen output to a printing device. This allows generating audit trails when involved in debugging, and with "watch" enabled, can provide a wealth of data concerning internal Bios operation. Since one can re-compile the Bios with additional "watch\_xxx()" commands, debugging aids can easily be placed where desired.

The "Trace" and "e" (for execute) commands allow a detailed single-step trail to be generated when required. Once a problem area is located with "watch" features, this single stepping can provide lowest level tracing of system action. Single stepping does NOT sense when the stack-segment or stack-pointers are changed, so unpredictable results may occur when these registers are changed.

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The "Int" command allows the execution of an interrupt, using the register values set with the "Rxx" commands. This permits specialized execution of bios functions from within sysvue. With the watch function enabled, this is a handy debugging aid.

SysVue may also be expanded with new commands as desired.

An easy way for you to generate documentation of your version of SysVue is to use the ">LPT" command to provide hard copy of the various screens and menus. These printouts may then be integrated into the user documentation you create.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: AT Bios SysVue
*
* Version: 1.00
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 12-01-88
*
* Filename: atvue.c
*
* Functional Description:
*
* This is the SysVue module which is a Bios-resident debug/monitor program.
*
* NOTE:
* Entry to SysVue is by CTRL-ALT-BREAK.
*
* Arguments:
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
*
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include "atkit.h"

/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */

unsigned sysvue_setup();
void interrupt cdecl far sysvue(void);
void interrupt cdecl far sysbreak(void);
char ci(void);
void co(char);
unsigned ishex(char);
unsigned islower(char);
unsigned isalpha(char);
unsigned isdelim(char);
void lword(unsigned);
void pword(unsigned);
void lbyte(char);
void pbyte(char);
char get_byte(void);
unsigned get_word(void);
void poked(unsigned,unsigned long int);
void set_system_segment(void);
void syntax_error(void);
void write_string(unsigned);
unsigned get_token(void);
unsigned get_token_number(unsigned *);
void find_next_list_item(void);
void get_line_input(char); /* arg is line terminator char */
unsigned get_token_value();
unsigned long get_limits();
void set_vector(char,unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned long get_vector(char);
unsigned console_break(void);
void far call(unsigned,unsigned);
unsigned value_present(char);
void display_regs(unsigned);
void display_flags(unsigned);

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
```

```

/*----- external data (variables) declarations -----*/
extern reset;
extern unsigned comm_list[];
extern unsigned lpt_list[];

/* variables are in system scratch segment of RAM */

extern char sysvue_busy; /* 0/1 = not busy/busy */
extern unsigned long break_chain;
extern unsigned long trace_chain;
extern unsigned long trap_chain;
extern char mode_type,mode_size,sum,char_count;
extern char exit_flag;
extern char buffer[80];
extern unsigned buffer_index,token_index;
extern list_index,token_number;
extern unsigned command_index;
extern unsigned token_value[8];
extern unsigned cc;
extern char present;
extern unsigned last_dump_start_seg;
extern unsigned last_dump_start_off;
extern unsigned enter_seg,enter_off;
extern char inchar;
extern unsigned int_seg,int_off;
extern unsigned reg_index;
extern unsigned reg_saves[15];
extern unsigned inreg_saves[15];
extern unsigned outreg_saves[15];
extern unsigned trace_count;
extern char break_flag;
extern char token_buffer[];
extern char last_delim;
extern char record_type;
extern unsigned watch_flag;
extern unsigned watch_selection;
extern unsigned u_found;
extern unsigned jj;
extern unsigned redirect_flag;
extern char dec_array[6];

/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */

/*----- external data (constants) declarations -----*/
/* constants are in Bios ROM */

extern bios_id;
extern ver_Id;
extern bios_name;
extern owner_id;
extern date_stamp;

/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */

#define byte 1
#define word 2
#define dword 4

#define ascii 1
#define hex 2

#define data_record 0
#define end_of_file_record 1
#define extended_address_record 2
#define start_address_record 3

/* this are the delimiters for biosvue command strings */

#define space 32
#define comma 44
#define colon 58
#define semicolon 59
#define leftparen 40
#define rightparen 41
#define period 46
#define ques 63
#define tab 9
#define quote 34
#define slash 47

/*----- enumeration lists -----*/

/* This list MUST be in the same order as the command token list.
** The enumerated values for the commands are assigned by this list.
** These values are used by the case operator in the main body of SysVue.

```

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\*\* For each entry in this list, there must be a corresponding entry in the Command Token List.  
\*\* The token list is searched and the number of the find is used as the command switch value.  
\*/

```
enum command
{
    command_NUL, /* Nul value = no find */
    command_C, /* compare */
    command_CA, /* compare ascii */
    command_CB, /* compare byte */
    command_CW, /* compare word */
    command_CD, /* compare double */
    command_CHK, /* checksum */
    command_CLS, /* clear screen */
    command_COLD_BOOT, /* cold boot */
    command_CMOS, /* display cmos contents and checksum */
    command_DATE, /* set date */
    command_D, /* dump */
    command_DA, /* dump ascii */
    command_DB, /* dump byte */
    command_DW, /* dump word */
    command_DD, /* dump double word */
    command_DRIVE, /* set number and type of drives */
    command_E, /* enter or execute */
    command_EA, /* enter ascii */
    command_EB, /* enter byte */
    command_EW, /* enter word */
    command_ED, /* enter double */
    command_EXIT, /* exit from SysVue */
    command_F, /* fill */
    command_FA, /* fill ascii */
    command_FB, /* fill byte */
    command_FW, /* fill word */
    command_FD, /* fill double */
    command_H, /* hex add and subtract */
    command_HARD_BOOT, /* hard boot */
    command_HELP,
    command_I, /* input port */
    command_IB, /* input byte */
    command_IW, /* input word */
    command_INT, /* interrupt */
    command_M, /* move */
    command_MEM, /* set/display mem sizes */
    command_NPX, /* select NPX present or not */
    command_O, /* output port */
    command_OB, /* output byte */
    command_OW, /* output word */
    command_QUIT, /* exit from SysVue */
    command_R, /* display registers */
    command_RAX, /* register ax */
    command_RBX, /* register bx */
    command_RCX, /* register cx */
    command_RDX, /* register dx */
    command_RSP, /* register sp */
    command_RBP, /* register bp */
    command_RSI, /* register si */
    command_RDI, /* register di */
    command_RDS, /* register ds */
    command_RES, /* register es */
    command_RSS, /* register ss */
    command_RCS, /* register cs */
    command_RIP, /* register ip */
    command_RF, /* register flags */
    command_RHEX, /* read Intel hex */
    command_SI, /* display info */
    command_SELECT, /* select watch parameters */
    command_S, /* search */
    command_SA, /* search ascii */
    command_SB, /* search byte */
    command_SW, /* search word */
    command_SD, /* search double */
    command_TIME, /* set time */
    command_T, /* single step */
    command_TRACE, /* single step */
    command_TYPES, /* list hard drive types on table */
    command_VIDEO, /* set/display video adapters */
    command_WATCH, /* watch bios */
    command_WARM_BOOT, /* warm boot */
    command_WHEX, /* write Intel hex */
    command_TO_LPT, /* direct output to lpt */
    command_TO_CON, /* direct output to console */
    command_BACK_TO_CON, /* default back to console */
};

/* this enumeration list is used for the register
** display commands.
```

```

/*
enum order
{
    nulreg,
    axsave,bxsave,cxsave,dxsave,spsave,
    bpsave,sisave,disave,dssave,essave,
    sssave,cssave,ipsave,pswsave,
};

/* LOCAL CONSTANTS */

// this is a list of the command tokens for biosvue, it MUST agree with the enumeration list

const command_token_list[]=
{
    "C", /* compare */
    "CA", /* compare ascii */
    "CB", /* compare byte */
    "CW", /* compare word */
    "CD", /* compare double */
    "CHK", /* checksum */
    "CLS", /* clear screen */
    "COLD", /* cold boot */
    "CMOS", /* display cmos contents and checksum */
    "DATE", /* set date */
    "D", /* dump */
    "DA", /* dump ascii */
    "DB", /* dump byte */
    "DW", /* dump word */
    "DD", /* dump double */
    "DRIVE", /* display or set drives */
    "E", /* enter */
    "EA", /* enter ascii */
    "EB", /* enter byte */
    "EW", /* enter word */
    "ED", /* enter double */
    "EXIT", /* exit from SysVue */
    "F", /* fill */
    "FA", /* fill ascii */
    "FB", /* fill byte */
    "FW", /* fill word */
    "FD", /* fill double */
    "H", /* hex add and subtract */
    "HARD", /* hard boot */
    "HELP", /* display help */
    "I", /* input port */
    "IB", /* input byte */
    "IW", /* input word */
    "INT", /* interrupt */
    "M", /* move */
    "MEM", /* set/display memory sizes */
    "NPX", /* select NPX present or not */
    "O", /* output port */
    "OB", /* output byte */
    "OW", /* output word */
    "QUIT", /* exit from SysVue */
    "R", /* display registers */
    "RAX", /* register ax */
    "RBX", /* register bx */
    "RCX", /* register cx */
    "RDX", /* register dx */
    "RSP", /* register sp */
    "RBP", /* register bp */
    "RSI", /* register si */
    "RDI", /* register di */
    "RDS", /* register ds */
    "RES", /* register es */
    "RSS", /* register ss */
    "RCS", /* register cs */
    "RIP", /* register ip */
    "RF", /* register flags */
    "RHEX", /* read Intel hex */
    "SI", /* display id */
    "SELÉCT", /* select watch parameters */
    "S", /* search */
    "SA", /* search ascii */
    "SB", /* search byte */
    "SW", /* search word */
    "SD", /* search double */
    "TIME", /* set time */
    "T",
    "TRACE",
    "TYPES", /* list hard drive types on table */
    "VIDEO", /* set/display video adapters */
    "WATCH", /* watch bios */
};

```

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```
"WARM", /* warm boot */
"WHEX", /* write Intel hex */
">LPT",
">CON",
">"
8-1, /* list terminator */
};

// the register token list is searched to determine the switch value for the register commands.
const register_token_list[]=
{
    "AX","BX","CX","DX","SP","BP","SI","DI","DS","ES","SS","CS","IP",-1,
};

// the flag token list is used for the flag register command
const flag_token_list[]=
{
    "NC","CY","","","PO","PE","","","NA","AC","","","NZ","ZR","","",
    "PL","NG","DI","EI","UP","DN","NV","OV","","","","","","","","","","",-1,
};

// the flag display token list is used for the flag register command
const flag_display_token_list[16][2]=
{
    "NC","CY","","","PO","PE","","","NA","AC","","","NZ","ZR","","",
    "PL","NG","DI","EI","UP","DN","NV","OV","","","","","","","","",-1,
};

// This is a list of the delimiter characters to be accepted when parsing command lines.
// A zero value marks the end of the list.
const char delim_list[]=
{
    space,comma,colon,semicolon,leftparen,rightparen,period,ques,tab,quote,slash,0
};

/* P R O G R A M */

/*===== SysVue Setup Routine =====*/
// This routine is called by the P00 to effect the installation of SysVue by patching Interrupt 18.
unsigned sysvue_setup()
{
    link_interrupt(0x18,sysvue);
    return(ok);
}

/*=====
=====
=====
=====
=====*/
/*===== SysVue Main Routine =====*/
/*=====
=====
=====
=====
=====*/
variables
end_variables vuereg;

// these are arbitrary identifiers so the main routine will know how it was entered

#define trap_origin 5
#define trace_origin 6
#define boot_origin 7
#define divide_origin 8
#define syserr_origin 9

void sysmain();

void interrupt cdecl far Divide(interrupt_registers)
{
    sysmain(divide_origin);
}

void interrupt cdecl far SysError(interrupt_registers)
{
    sysmain(syserr_origin);
}

void interrupt cdecl far Sysvue(interrupt_registers)
{
    sysmain(boot_origin);
}
```

```

void interrupt cdecl far Systrap(interrupt_registers)
{
    sysmain(trap_origin);
}

void interrupt cdecl far Systrace(interrupt_registers)
{
    sysmain(trace_origin);
}

void sysmain(unsigned origin,interrupt_registers)
{
    vueregs *myblock;
    enable();
    myblock = acquire_block(VUE);
    /* variables will be referenced in sys seg */
    exit_flag = 0;
    if((origin == boot_origin) && (sysvue_busy != 0))
    {
        write_string("\n\rSysVue Busy");
    }
    else
    {
        sysvue_busy=1;

        // chain the break vector through sysvue logic: if the break flag is set by the sysbreak isr,
        // return a true from the csts routine to abort the op in progress. When exiting sysvue:
        // de-chain the vector back to the original state for normal operation.

        break_chain = get_vector(0x1b);
        link_Interrupt(0x1b,sysbreak);

        // move the stacked registers into the saves so we know where we came from
        reg_saves[axsave] = ax;
        reg_saves[bxsave] = bx;
        reg_saves[cxsave] = cx;
        reg_saves[dxsave] = dx;
        reg_saves[sisave] = si;
        reg_saves[disave] = di;
        reg_saves[essave] = es;
        reg_saves[dssave] = ds;
        reg_saves[spsave] = sp;
        reg_saves[sssave] = get_ss();
        reg_saves[pswsave] = flags;
        reg_saves[ipsave] = ip;
        reg_saves[cssave] = cs;

        if(origin == trace_origin) // de-chain trace vector
        {
            set_vector(0x1,trace_chain >> 16,trace_chain);
            // if(peek(0x26a,0x316) == 0x0beb)
            //{
            // place for option of silent trace until condition
            // trace_count = 1;

            display_regs(&reg_saves);
            write_string("\n\r");
            lword(cs);write_string(":");lword(ip);write_string(" ");
            lbyte(peekb(cs,ip));
            write_string(" ");
            lword(peek(cs,ip+1));

            //}
            if(--trace_count != 0)
            {
                if(console_break())
                {
                    exit_flag=0;
                    trace_count=1;
                }
                else
                {
                    // check for any key
                    if (kbhit())
                    {
                        exit_flag=0;
                        trace_count=1;
                    }
                    else
                }
            }
        }
    }
}

```

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```
{  
    exit_flag=1;  
    reg_saves[pswsave] |= 0x0100; // set trace bit  
    // chain-in the trace vector  
    trace_chain = get_vector(0x1);  
    link_interrupt(0xT,Systrace);  
}  
}  
}  
  
if(origin == trap_origin) // de-chain trap vector  
{  
    // restore the trapped locations and decrement the pc value  
    // clear the trap saves and stuff  
}  
  
if(origin == boot_origin)  
{  
    trace_count = 1;  
    // restore the trapped locations and decrement the  
    // pc value  
    // clear the trap saves and stuff  
}  
  
mode_size = byte; /* default to byte presentation mode */  
mode_type = hex; /* default to hex (not ascii) */  
if(origin == boot_origin)  
{  
    write_string("\n\rSysVue Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved.");  
}  
  
if(origin == divide_origin)  
{  
    write_string("\n\rDivide Overflow at location - ");  
    lword(cs); write_string(":");lword(ip);  
}  
  
if(origin == syserr_origin)  
{  
    write_string("\n\rSystem Error, Type - "); lword(ax);  
}  
  
while (exit_flag ==0)  
{  
    write_string("\n\rSysVue>");  
    get_line_input(cr);  
  
    /* move past leading spaces */  
    while(buffer[buffer_index] == ' ') buffer_index++;  
  
    if(get_token() == true) /* if there is a command */  
    {  
        /* get the token number for the  
        ** command from the token list  
        */  
        command_index = get_token_number(&command_token_list);  
  
        /* get the rest of the arguments on the command line */  
        get_values();  
  
        /* execute the command */  
        switch (command_index)  
        {  
            default: /* command not found */  
            syntax_error();  
            break;  
  
            /*===== COMPARE COMMAND =====*/  
  
            case command_CA:  
                mode_type = ascii; mode_size = byte; goto compare_case;  
  
            case command_CB:  
                mode_type = hex; mode_size = byte; goto compare_case;  
  
            case command_CW:  
                mode_type = hex; mode_size = word; goto compare_case;  
  
            case command_CD:  
                mode_type = hex; mode_size = dword; goto compare_case;  
  
            case command_C:  
        }
```

```

compare_case:
do
{
    if (peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]) != peekb(token_value[4],token_value[5]))
    {
        co(13); co(10);
        lword(token_value[0]); co(':');
        lword(token_value[1]);
        co(' '); co('>'); co(' ');
        lbyte(peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
        co(' '); co(' ');
        lbyte(peekb(token_value[4],token_value[5]));
        co(' '); co('<'); co(' ');
        lword(token_value[4]); co(':');
        lword(token_value[5]);
    }
    if(console_break()) break;
    token_value[1]++; token_value[5]++;
}
while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) &&
(token_value[T] != 0));
break;

/*===== Clear Screen Command =====*/
case command_CLS:
// read current video mode
myblock->ax = 0x0f00;
sys_int(0x10,myblock);
// Reset video mode (clears screen)
myblock->ax = myblock->ax & 0x00ff;
sys_int(0x10,myblock);
break;

/*===== CMOS Command =====*/
case command_CMOS:
// this would be a great place to have a dump of the CMOS contents.
write_string("Calculated CMOS checksum: ");
token_value[1]=0;
for(token_value[0] = 0x10; token_value[0] < 0x2e;
token_value[0]++)
{
    token_value[1] += incmos(token_value[0]);
}
lword(token_value[1]);

write_string("\n\r Actual CMOS checksum: ");
lword((incmos(0x2e)<< 8) | incmos(0x2f));
break;

/*===== D Commands =====*/
case command_DA:
mode_size = Byte; mode_type = ascii; goto dump_case;

case command_DB:
mode_size = Byte; mode_type = hex; goto dump_case;

case command_DW:
mode_size = Word; mode_type = hex; goto dump_case;

case command_DD:
mode_size = Dword; mode_type = hex; goto dump_case;

case command_D:
dump_case:

cc = 256; /* default dump length in characters */
if (mode_type == ascii) cc = 1024;

if ((present & 0x80) == 0)
{
    token_value[1] = last_dump_start_off + cc;
    token_value[0] = last_dump_start_seg;
}

if (token_value[3] == 0)
{
    token_value[3] = token_value[1] + cc;
}
last_dump_start_seg = token_value[0];

```

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```
last_dump_start_off = token_value[1];
do
{
    co(cr); co(lf); lword(token_value[0]);
    co(':' ); lword(token_value[1]); co(' ');
    if (mode_type == ascii)
    {
        do
        {
            cc = peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]++) & 0x7f;
            if ((cc < 0x20) || (cc > 0x7e)) cc = '.';
            co(cc);
        }
        while ((token_value[1] % 64) != 0);
    }

    if ((mode_type == hex) || (mode_type == 0))
    {
        if ((mode_size == byte) || (mode_size == 0))
        {
            do
            {
                co(' ');
                lbyte(peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]++));
                /* print extra space every four characters */
                if ((token_value[1] % 4) == 0) co(' ');
            }
            while ((token_value[1] % 16) != 0);
        }

        if (mode_size == word)
        {
            do
            {
                co(' ');
                lword(peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
                token_value[1] += 2;
                if (((token_value[1] & 0xffff) % 4) == 0) co(' ');
            }
            while (((token_value[1] & 0xffff) % 16) != 0);
        }

        if (mode_size == dword)
        {
            do
            {
                co(' ');
                lword(peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]+2));
                co(':' );
                lword(peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
                token_value[1] += 4;
                if (((token_value[1] & 0xffffc) % 4) == 0) co(' ');
            }
            while (((token_value[1] & 0xffffc) % 16) != 0);
        }

        /* print the ascii char for the hex dump */
        co(' ');
        token_value[1] -= 16;
        do
        {
            cc = peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]++) & 0x7f;
            if ((cc < 0x20) || (cc > 0x7e)) cc = '.';
            co(cc);
        }
        while ((token_value[1] % 16) != 0);
    }

    if (console_break()) break;
}

while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) && (token_value[1] != 0));
break;

/*===== Exit Commands =====*/
case command_EXIT:
case command_QUIT:
exit_flag=1;
break;

/*===== Enter Commands =====*/
case command_EA:
mode_size = byte; mode_type = ascii; goto enter_case;
```

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case command_E8:
mode_size = byte; mode_type = hex; goto enter_case;

case command_EW:
mode_size = Word; mode_type = hex; goto enter_case;

case command_ED:
mode_size = dword; mode_type = hex; goto enter_case;

case command_E:
// if e<enter> then it is execute else it is enter

if (value_present(1) == 0) // e<enter> is execute
{
exit_flag=1;
trace_count = -1;
reg_saves[pwsave] |= 0x0100; // set trace bit
// chain-in the trace vector
trace_chain = get_vector(0x1);
link_Interrupt(0x1, Systrace);
break;
}

enter_case:

/* if there is a command line input, just store it */
if(value_present(3) == true)
{
if(mode_size == byte) pokeb(token_value[0],token_value[1],token_value[3]);
if(mode_size == word) poke(token_value[0],token_value[1],token_value[3]);
if(mode_size == dword)
{
poke(token_value[0],token_value[1],token_value[3]);
poke(token_value[0],token_value[1]+2,token_value[2]);
}
}
else
{
lword(token_value[0]); co(':''); lword(token_value[1]);

/* solicit input */

enter_seg = token_value[0];
enter_off = token_value[1];

inchar = ' ';
while (inchar == ' ')
{
co(' ');
if(mode_size==byte) lbyte(peekb(enter_seg,enter_off));
if(mode_size==word) lword(peek(enter_seg,enter_off));
if(mode_size==dword)
{
lword(peek(enter_seg,enter_off+2));
co(':'');
lword(peek(enter_seg,enter_off));
}
co('-');
get_line_input(' ');
/* Terminate this on a space or a cr */
get_values();
if(value_present(1))
{
if(mode_size==byte) pokeb(enter_seg,enter_off,token_value[1]);
if(mode_size==word) poke(enter_seg,enter_off,token_value[1]);
if(mode_size==dword)
{
poke(enter_seg,enter_off,token_value[1]);
poke(enter_seg,enter_off+2,token_value[0]);
}
}
enter_off = enter_off + mode_size;
if ((enter_off % 8) == 0)
{
co(cr); co(lf);
lword(enter_seg); co(':''); lword(enter_off);
}
}
}
break;

/*===== Fill Commands =====*/

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```
case command_FB:
mode_size = byte; mode_type = hex; goto fill_case;

case command_FW:
mode_size = Word; mode_type = hex; goto fill_case;

case command_FD:
mode_size = dword; mode_type = hex; goto fill_case;

case command_F:
fill_case:
do {
    if(mode_size == byte) pokeb(token_value[0],token_value[1],token_value[5]);
    if(mode_size == word) poke(token_value[0],token_value[1],token_value[5]);
    if(mode_size == dword)
    {
        poke(token_value[0],token_value[1],token_value[5]);
        poke(token_value[0],token_value[1]+2,token_value[4]);
    }
    if(console_break()) break;
    token_value[1] += mode_size;
} while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) &&
(token_value[1] != 0));
break;

/*===== Int Command =====*/
// This command invokes the interrupt selected. It uses the sys_int_registers and the
// sys_int command. The user has to confirm the command with an 'X' to execute it.

// this command should use a separate set of registers ?????

case command_INT:
/* get the interrupt number from the command line */
/* print the vector value */

if (token_value[1] < 256)
{
    write_string("Interrupt is at ");

    int_off = peek(0x00,token_value[1] * 4);
    int_seg = peek(0x00,(token_value[1] * 4) +2);

    lword(int_seg); co(':''); lword(int_off); co(' ');
    write_string("Press X to confirm eXecution");

    /* wait for confirmation */
    cc = ci();

    if ((cc == 'X') || (cc == 'x'))
    {
        write_string("\n\r"); // do a cr lf for a clean line
        myblock ->ax = reg_saves[axsave];
        myblock ->bx = reg_saves[bxsave];
        myblock ->cx = reg_saves[cxsave];
        myblock ->dx = reg_saves[dxsave];
        myblock ->si = reg_saves[sisave];
        myblock ->di = reg_saves[disave];
        myblock ->ds = reg_saves[dssave];
        myblock ->es = reg_saves[essave];

        sys_int(token_value[1],myblock);

        outreg_saves[axsave] = myblock ->ax;
        outreg_saves[bxsave] = myblock ->bx;
        outreg_saves[cxsave] = myblock ->cx;
        outreg_saves[dxsave] = myblock ->dx;
        outreg_saves[sisave] = myblock ->si;
        outreg_saves[disave] = myblock ->di;
        outreg_saves[essave] = myblock ->es;
        outreg_saves[dssave] = myblock ->ds;
        outreg_saves[pswsave] = myblock ->flags;

        /* display the register upon return */
        display_regs(&outreg_saves);
    }
}
else write_string("Value Out of Range ");

break;
```

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/*===== HELP =====*/
case command_HELP:
    write_string("C <range> <address> - compare\n\r");
    write_string("CLS - Clear Screen\n\r");
    write_string("CHK <range> - checksum\n\r");
    write_string("COLD - cold boot to current Bios\n\r");
    write_string("CMOS - display the CMOS checksum\n\r");
    write_string("D[type] [<range>] - dump memory\n\r");
    write_string("DRIVE [0-3 | A:-F:] [type] - display/set drives\n\r");
    write_string("DATE [xx/xx/xxxx] - Display or Set Date\n\r");
    write_string("E - execute single step until any key hit\n\r");
    write_string("E[type] <address> [<list> - enter]\n\r");
    write_string("EXIT - exit from SysVue\n\r");
    write_string("F[type] <range> [<list> - fill]\n\r");
    write_string("H <value> <value> - hex add/sub\n\r");
    write_string("HARD - re-boot to primary Bios\n\r");
    write_string("HELP - help screen\n\r");
    write_string("I[type] <address> - In port\n\r");
    write_string("INT <value> - Interrupt\n\r");
    write_string("M <range> <address> - move\n\r");
    write_string("MEM [sys,ext] - display/set memory sizes\n\r");
    pause();
    write_string("NPX [0|1] - No NPX/Yes NPX\n\r");
    write_string("O[type] <address> <value> - Out port\n\r");
    write_string("QUIT - exit from SysVue\n\r");
    write_string("R[<reg>] <value> - register\n\r");
    write_string("RHEX <range> - read Intel hex\n\r");
    write_string("S[type] <range> <key> <mask> - search\n\r");
    write_string("SELECT - Select Watch Parameters\n\r");
    write_string("SI - Display System Information\n\r");
    write_string("TIME [xx:xx:xx] - Display or Set Time\n\r");
    write_string("TRACE [count] - Trace count steps or until anykey hit\n\r");
    write_string("TYPES - Display hard disk type parameters\n\r");
    write_string("VIDEO [type] - display/set video type\n\r");
    write_string("WARM - warm boot to current Bios\n\r");
    write_string("WATCH - Toggle watch on/off\n\r");
    write_string("WHEX <range> - write Intel hex\n\r");
    write_string(">[CON | LPT] - redirect console output\n\r");
break;

/*===== Calculator Command =====*/
case command_H:
    write_string("Sum is: "); lword(token_value[1]+token_value[3]);
    write_string(" Difference is: "); lword(token_value[1]-token_value[3]);
break;

/*===== Sys Info Command =====*/
case command_SI:
    write_string("\n\r Current Time: "); display_time();
    write_string("\n\r Current Date: "); display_date();

    write_string("\n\r     Bios Name: "); write_string(&bios_id);
    write_string("\n\r     Bios Version: "); write_string(&ver_id);
    write_string("\n\r     Bios Date: "); write_string(&date_stamp);
    write_string("\n\r     Copyright: "); write_string(&owner_id);
    write_string("\n\r     Bios Size: 64k At Segment: "); lword(bios_cs());

    write_string("\n\r     CPU: ");
    // a CPU type sensing routine could be added here
    write_string("80286");
    write_string("\n\r     NPX: "); display_npx();

    write_string("\n\r     Com Ports: ");
    for (cc = 0;
        ((cc < 4) && (peek40(&comm_list[cc]) != 0)); cc++)
    {
        lword(peek40(&comm_list[cc])); co(' ');
    }

    write_string("\n\r     LPT Ports: ");
    for (cc = 0;
        ((cc < 3) && (peek40(&lpt_list[cc]) != 0)); cc++)
    {
        lword(peek40(&lpt_list[cc])); co(' ');
    }

    // display the disk drives in the system

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```
display_drives();
display_video();

write_string("\n\rMemory Size      System      Extended");
write_string("\n\r      Expected:   ");
display_sys_mem();
write_string("          ");
display_ext_mem();
write_string("\n\r      Found:   ");
bin2dec(peek40(0x13) + (sys_seg_size/1024),&dec_array);
co(dec_array[0]);
co(dec_array[1]);
co(dec_array[2]);
co(dec_array[3]);
co(dec_array[4]);

write_string("          ");
bin2dec(cmos_ext_found(),&dec_array);
co(dec_array[0]);
co(dec_array[1]);
co(dec_array[2]);
co(dec_array[3]);
co(dec_array[4]);

#if(0==1)
write_string("\n\rCMOS Values are:");
write_string("\n\rDiagnostic   ");lbyte(incmos(0x0e));
write_string("\n\rRestart     ");lbyte(incmos(0x0f));
write_string("\n\rFloppy Disks ");lbyte(incmos(0x10));
write_string("\n\rHard Disks   ");lbyte(incmos(0x12));
write_string("\n\rEquipment   ");lbyte(incmos(0x14));
#endif

break;
/*----- set time -----*/
case command_TIME:
if(value_present(0)) // if anything entered
{
myblock->cx = token_value[0];
myblock->cx = (myblock->cx << 8) | token_value[1];
myblock->dx = token_value[3];
myblock->dx = myblock->dx << 8;
myblock->ax = 0x0300;
sys_int(0x1a,myblock);
if(myblock->flags & carry_bit) != 0
write_string("Error setting time");
}
write_string("Current Time is - ");display_time();
break;
/*----- set date -----*/
case command_DATE:
if(value_present(0)) // if anything entered
{
myblock->dx = token_value[0];
myblock->dx = (myblock->dx << 8) | token_value[1];
myblock->cx = token_value[3];
myblock->ax = 0x0500;
sys_int(0x1a,myblock);
if(myblock->flags & carry_bit) != 0
write_string("Error setting date");
}
write_string("Current Date is - ");display_date();
break;
/*----- set drives -----*/
case command_DRIVE:
// if value - a-f, then set type of drive in system
if((token_value[0] >= 0xa) && (token_value[0] <= 0xf))
{
// a and b are easy, c,d,e,f have to count drives

// A: is floppy
if(number_of_floppies() > 0)
{
if(token_value[0] == 0xa)
{
outcmos(0x10,(incmos(0x10) & 0x0f) | ((token_value[1] & 0x0007) << 4));
}
```

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    }
    // B: is floppy
    if(number_of_floppies() > 1)
    {
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0b)
        {
            outcmos(0x10,(incmos(0x10) & 0xf0) | (token_value[1] & 0x0007));
        }
    }
    // C: is floppy
    if(number_of_floppies() > 2)
    {
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0c)
        {
            outcmos(0x11,(incmos(0x11) & 0x0f) | ((token_value[1] & 0x0007) << 4));
        }
    }
    // D: is floppy
    if(number_of_floppies() > 3)
    {
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0d)
        {
            outcmos(0x11,(incmos(0x11) & 0xf0) | (token_value[1] & 0x0007));
        }
    }
    //----- these are for hard disks -----
    if(number_of_floppies() <= 2)
    // C: and D: are hard drives
    {
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0c)
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0x0f) | ((token_value[1] & 0x000f) << 4));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0xf0);
                outcmos(0x19,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0d)
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0xf0) | (token_value[1] & 0x000f));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0x0f);
                outcmos(0x1a,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
    }
    if(number_of_floppies() == 3)
    // D: and E: are hard drives
    {
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0d)
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0x0f) | ((token_value[1] & 0x000f) << 4));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0xf0);
                outcmos(0x19,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0e)
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0xf0) | (token_value[1] & 0x000f));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0x0f);
                outcmos(0x1a,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
    }
    if(number_of_floppies() == 4)
    // E: and F: are hard drives
    {
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0e)
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0xf0) | ((token_value[1] & 0x000f) << 4));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0xf0);
                outcmos(0x19,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
    }
}

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```
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0x0f) | ((token_value[1] & 0x000f) << 4));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0xf0);
                outcmos(0x19,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
        if(token_value[0] == 0x0f)
        {
            if (token_value[1] < 14) // use primary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,(incmos(0x12) & 0xf0) | (token_value[1] & 0x000f));
            }
            else // use secondary cell
            {
                outcmos(0x12,incmos(0x12) | 0x0f);
                outcmos(0x1a,token_value[1]);
            }
        }
    }
    calc_cmos(); // recalc checksum
}
else
{
    if(value_present(1)) // if anything entered
    {
        // if value = 0-4, then # of drives in system
        if(token_value[1] <= 4)
        {
            if(token_value[1] == 0) // set no-drives in system
            {
                outcmos(0x14,incmos(0x14) & ~0x01);
                calc_cmos();
            }
            else // there are drives in system
            {
                outcmos(0x14,incmos(0x14) | 0x01);
                outcmos(0x14,(incmos(0x14) & 0x3f) | \
                ((token_value[1]-1) << 6));
                calc_cmos();
            }
        }
    }
    write_string("Options are\n\r");
    write_string("0-4 = # of floppy drives\n\r");
    write_string("A:n - F:n = set drive type\n\r");
    write_string("For Floppy drives:\n\r");
    write_string(" 0 = no drive\n\r");
    write_string(" 1 = 360k drive\n\r");
    write_string(" 2 = 1.2M drive\n\r");
    write_string(" 3 = 720k drive\n\r");
    write_string(" 4 = 1.44M drive\n\r");
    write_string("For Hard drives:");
    write_string("  n = drive type\n\r");
    write_string("For list of hard drive types, enter ""Types""");
    display_drives();
    break;
}

/*----- list drive types from hdisk table -----*/
case command_TYPES:
display_hdisk_types();
break;

/*----- set memory sizes -----*/
case command_MEM:
if(value_present(1)) // if anything entered
{
    set_sys_mem(dec2bin(token_value[1]));
}
if(value_present(3)) // if anything entered
{
    set_ext_mem(dec2bin(token_value[3]));
}
write_string(" System Memory Size is - ");display_sys_mem();
write_string("\n\rExtended Memory Size is - ");display_ext_mem();
break;
```

```

/*--- select NPX present/not present ---*/
case command_NPX:
if(value_present(1))
{
    if((token_value[1] & 0x01) == 0)
    {
        outcmos(0x14,incmos(0x14) & ~0x02);
    }
    else
    {
        outcmos(0x14,incmos(0x14) | 0x02);
    }
    calc_cmos();
}
write_string("Options are: 0 = No, 1 = Yes\n\r");
write_string("NPX ");
display_npx();
break;

/*----- set video type -----*/
case command_VIDEO:
write_string("Options are\n\r0=EGA\n\r1=CGA 40x25\n\r2=CGA 80x25\n\r3=Monochrome");
if(value_present(1)) // if anything entered
{
    // check for argument range validity
    if((token_value[1] >= 0) && (token_value[1] <= 3))
    {
        // this is where we set the video bits
        outcmos(0x14,(incmos(0x14) & 0xcf) | ((token_value[1] & 0x0003) << 4));
        calc_cmos();
    }
    else
    {
        write_string("\n\rVideo type argument must be between 0-3");
        beep();
    }
}
else
{
    write_string("\n\rTo change Expected Video, type ""VIDEO n <enter>""\n\r");
}
display_video();
break;

/*===== Input from port Command =====*/
case command_IB: mode_size = byte; lbyte(inportb(token_value[1])); break;
case command_IW: mode_size = word; lword(inport(token_value[1])); break;
case command_I:
switch (mode_size)
{
    case byte: lbyte(inportb(token_value[1])); break;
    case word: lword(inport(token_value[1])); break;
}
break;

/*===== Output from Port Commands =====*/
case command_OB: mode_size = byte; outportb(token_value[1],token_value[3]); break;
case command_OW: mode_size = word; outport(token_value[1],token_value[3]); break;
case command_O:
switch (mode_size)
{
    case byte: outportb(token_value[1],token_value[3]); break;
    case word: outport(token_value[1],token_value[3]); break;
}
break;

/*== Move Command ==*/
case command_M:
do
{
    pokeb(token_value[4],token_value[5]++;
    peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]++;
    if(console_break()) break;
}

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```
while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) &&
(token_value[1] != 0));
break;

/*== Register Display Command ==*/
case command_R: /* display all the registers */
display_regs(&reg_saves);
break;

/*== Register Display and Change Commands ==*/
case command_RAX: reg_index = axsave; goto r_display;
case command_RBX: reg_index = bxsave; goto r_display;
case command_RCX: reg_index = cxsave; goto r_display;
case command_RDX: reg_index = dxsave; goto r_display;
case command_RSP: reg_index = spsave; goto r_display;
case command_RBP: reg_index = bpsave; goto r_display;
case command_RSI: reg_index = sisave; goto r_display;
case command_RDI: reg_index = disave; goto r_display;
case command_RDS: reg_index = dssave; goto r_display;
case command_RES: reg_index = essave; goto r_display;
case command_RSS: reg_index = sssave; goto r_display;
case command_RCS: reg_index = cssave; goto r_display;
case command_RIP: reg_index = ipsave; goto r_display;
r_display:
/* if there is a command line input, just store it */
if(value_present(1) == true)
{
    reg_saves[reg_index] = token_value[1];
}
else
{
    write_string(peek(bios_cs()),&register_token_list[reg_index-1]);
    co(' ');
    lword(reg_saves[reg_index]);
    co(cr); co(lf); co(':');

    /* solicit input for register */
    get_line_input(cr);
    get_values();
    if(value_present(1))
    {
        reg_saves[reg_index] = token_value[1];
    }
}
break;

/*----- Flag Register Command -----*/
case command_RF:
/* we have to look at command line for flag alpha's */
/* if there is a command line input, just store it */
command_index = get_token_number(&flag_token_list);
if(command_index == 0) // solicit input
{
    display_flags();
    write_string(" - ");
    get_line_input(cr);
    get_token();
    command_index = get_token_number(&flag_token_list);
}

if (command_index != 0)
{
    command_index--; // rebase to zero
    lword(command_index);
```

```

if ((command_index & 1) == 0)
{
    /* even number - clear bit */
    reg_saves[pswsave] &= ~(1 << (command_index/2));
}
else
{
    /* odd number - set bit */
    reg_saves[pswsave] |= (1 << (command_index/2));
}
break;

/*===== Read Intel Hex =====*/
case command_RHEX:
/* start looking for record marker */
do
{
    while(inchar = ci() != ':') {}
    sum = 0;
    char_count = get_byte();
    token_value[1] = get_word();
    record_type = get_byfe();

    switch (record_type)
    {
        case data_record:
        if (char_count == 0)
        {
            record_type = end_of_file_record;
            break;
        }
        while (char_count > 0)
        {
            pokeb(token_value[0],token_value[1],get_byte());
        }
        get_byte();
        if (sum != 0) record_type = end_of_file_record;
        break;

        case end_of_file_record:
        /* return to sysvue main */
        break;

        case extended_address_record:
        /* set load address segment */
        token_value[0] = get_word();
        get_byfe();
        if (sum != 0) record_type = end_of_file_record;
        break;

        case start_address_record:
        /* set cs:ip of reg set */
        reg_saves[cssave] = get_word();
        reg_saves[ipsave] = get_word();
        get_byfe();
        if (sum != 0) record_type = end_of_file_record;
        break;
    }
} while (record_type != end_of_file_record);
break;

/*===== Write Intel Hex =====*/
case command_WHEX:
/* disregard if range = nul */
if ((token_value[1] || token_value[3]) != 0)
{
    /* write extended address record for segment */
    write_string("\r\n:");
    sum = 0;
    pbyte(2);pword(0);pbyte(2);
    pword(token_value[0]);
    pbyte(sum);
    do
    {
        write_string("\r\n:");
        if ((Token_value[3] - token_value[1]) > 16)
        {
            char_count = 16;
        }
    }
}

```

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```
else
{
    char_count = token_value[3] - token_value[1];
}
sum = 0;
pbyte(char_count); /* record count */
pword(token_value[1]); /* address */
pbyte(0); /* data mode_type record */
while (char_count > 0)
{
    pbyte(peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
    token_value[1]++;
    char_count--;
};
pbyte(sum);
if (console_break()) break;
}
while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) &&
(token_value[1] != 0));

/* write start address record */
if ((token_value[4] || token_value[5]) != 0)
{
    write_string("\r\n:");
    sum = 0;
    pbyte(4);pword(0);pbyte(4);
    pword(token_value[4]);
    pword(token_value[5]);
    pbyte(sum);
}
write_string("\r\n:00000001FF");
}
break;

/*===== Search Commands =====*/
case command_SA: mode_size = byte; mode_type = ascii; goto search_case;
case command_SB: mode_size = byte; mode_type = hex; goto search_case;
case command_SW: mode_size = word; mode_type = hex; goto search_case;
case command_SD: mode_size = dword; mode_type = hex; goto search_case;
case command_S:
search_case:
/* if no mask entered, then all bits significant */
if((token_value[6] | token_value[7] ) == 0)
{
    token_value[6] = ~token_value[6];
    token_value[7] = ~token_value[7];
}

if (mode_size == byte)
/* clear un-needed bits from mask */
{
    token_value[6] = 0;
    token_value[7] &= 0x00ff;
}

if (mode_size == word)
/* clear un-needed bits from mask */
{
    token_value[6] = 0;
}

do
{
    if(((peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]) & token_value[7]) ==
        (token_value[5] & token_value[7])) &&
    (((peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]+2) & token_value[6]) ==
        (token_value[4] & token_value[6]))))
    {
        co(13); co(10); /* cr-lf */
        lword(token_value[0]);
        co(':');
        lword(token_value[1]);
        co(' ');
        if (mode_size == byte)
        {
            lbyte(peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
        }
    }
}
```

```

if (mode_size == word)
{
    lword(peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
}

if (mode_size == dword)
{
    lword(peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]+2));
    co('-');
    lword(peek(token_value[0],token_value[1]));
}

if(console_break()) break;
token_value[1]++;
}

while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) &&
(token_value[T] != 0));
break;

/*===== Checksum Command =====*/
case command_CHK:
sum = 0;
do
{
    sum += peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]++);
    if (console_break()) break;
}
while ((token_value[1] < token_value[3]) &&
(token_value[T] != 0));
/* add in the last byte */
sum += peekb(token_value[0],token_value[1]);
write_string("Checksum = ");
lbyte(sum);
break;

/*===== Re-Boot Commands =====*/
case command_COLD_BOOT:
RESET_FLAG = 0; /* reset the warm boot flag */
disable();      incmos(0x00);           // set NMI mask
far_call(bios_cs(),&reset);
break;

case command_WARM_BOOT:
/* reset the warm boot flag */
RESET_FLAG = 0x1234;
disable();      incmos(0x00);           // set NMI mask
far_call(bios_cs(),&reset);
break;

case command_HARD_BOOT: /* forces cs: to f000 */
RESET_FLAG = 0; /* reset the warm boot flag */
disable();      incmos(0x00);           // set NMI mask
far_call(0xf000,0xffff0);
break;

/*===== Trace Commands =====*/
case command_T:
case command_TRACE:
trace_count = token_value[1];
if(trace_count == 0) trace_count = 1;
exit_flag=1;
reg_saves[pssave] |= 0x0100; // set trace bit
// chain-in the trace vector
trace_chain = get_vector(0x1);
link_interrupt(0x1,Systrace);
break;

/*===== Select Watch parms command =====*/
case command_SELECT:
if (value_present(1))
{
    // modify parms
    watch_selection = token_value[1];
}
write_string("Options are (the OR) as follows:\n\r");
lword(VIDEO); write_string(" = Video\n\r");
lword(VUE);  write_string(" = SysVue\n\r");
lword(CASSETTE); write_string(" = Cassette\n\r");
lword(EQUIPMENT); write_string(" = Equip\n\r");
lword(MEMORY); write_string(" = Mem\n\r");
lword(LPT); write_string(" = Lpt\n\r");
lword(COM); write_string(" = Com\n\r");

```

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```
lword(FLOPPY); write_string(" = Floppy\n\r");
lword(HARD); write_string(" = Hard\n\r");
lword(TOD); write_string(" = Tod\n\r");
lword(BOOT); write_string(" = Boot\n\r");

write_string("Current Watch Selections are: ");
watch_selection &= WATCH_MASK;
if(watch_selection == 0) write_string("None");
if((watch_selection & VIDEO) != 0) write_string("Video ");
if((watch_selection & VUE) != 0) write_string("SysVue ");
if((watch_selection & CASSETTE) != 0) write_string("Cass ");
if((watch_selection & EQUIPMENT) != 0) write_string("Equip ");
if((watch_selection & MEMORY) != 0) write_string("Mem ");
if((watch_selection & LPT) != 0) write_string("Lpt ");
if((watch_selection & COM) != 0) write_string("Com ");
if((watch_selection & FLOPPY) != 0) write_string("Floppy ");
if((watch_selection & HARD) != 0) write_string("Hard ");
if((watch_selection & TOD) != 0) write_string("Tod ");
if((watch_selection & BOOT) != 0) write_string("Boot ");
if((watch_selection & TIMER) != 0) write_string("Tmr ");
if((watch_selection & KEYBOARD) != 0) write_string("Kb ");

write_string("\n\rWatch is currently ");
if(watch_flag == 0)
{
    write_string("Off");
}
else
{
    write_string("On");
}
break;

/*===== Watch command =====*/
case command_WATCH:
// toggle watch flag
if (watch_flag != 0)
{
    watch_flag = 0;
    Write_String(" Off");
}
else
{
    Write_String(" On");
    watch_flag = watch_selection;
    if(redirect_flag != 0) watch_flag &= ~LPT;
}
break;

/*===== Re-direction commands =====*/
case command_TO_CON:
case command_BACK_TO_CON:
redirect_flag = 0;
break;

case command_TO_LPT:
redirect_flag = 1;
// If you are watching the printer driver, it must not be copying screen output to the printer.
// An insidious recursion results, blowing the system away !
if((watch_flag & LPT) != 0) watch_flag &= ~LPT;
break;

}

};

ax = reg_saves[axsave];
bx = reg_saves[bxsave];
cx = reg_saves[cxsave];
dx = reg_saves[dxsave];
si = reg_saves[sisave];
di = reg_saves[disave];
ds = reg_saves[dssave];
es = reg_saves[essave];
flags = reg_saves[pssave];
cs = reg_saves[cssave];
ip = reg_saves[ipsave];

// If tracing, we should link the trace vector here
// If trapping (breakpointing), we should link the trap vector here.

set_vector(0x1b,break_chain >> 16,break_chain);
```

```

    sysvue_busy = 0; /* release Sysvue */
    } release_block(myblock);
}

/***** Console Status Routines *****/
unsigned console_break()
/* returns true for abort operation */
{
    if (break_flag == 0) return(false);
    break_flag = 0;
    return(true);
}

/*-----*/
/* dump byte and word functions */
void pword(w) /* print word, accumulate checksum */
{
    pbyte(w >> 8); pbyte(w);
}

void pbyte(outchar) /* print byte, accumulate checksum */
{
    sum -= outchar; /* build checksum for whex command */
    lbyte(outchar);
}

/* dummy nmi interrupt routine */
void nmi_int()
{
}

/*----- supporting functions -----*/
// This function displays the register set. It is used by the 'R' Command and the 'INT' Command.
void display_regs(unsigned *reg_saves)
{
    co(cr); co(lf);
    for (token_index = 0; token_index < 13; token_index++)
    {
        write_string(peek(bios_cs()),&register_token_list[token_index]);
        co('7');
        lword(reg_saves[token_index+1]);
        co(' '); co(' ');
        if (token_index == 7) { co(cr); co(lf); }
    }
    co(' '); co(' ');
    display_flags(reg_saves);
}

void display_flags(unsigned *reg_saves)
{
    unsigned even_odd;
    int scan_index;
    /* display the flag conditions */

    for (scan_index = 15; scan_index > -1; scan_index--)
    {
        even_odd = (reg_saves[pswsave] >> scan_index) & 1;

        if (peekb(bios_cs(),peek(bios_cs()),&flag_display_token_list[scan_index][even_odd]) != '-')
        {
            write_string(peek(bios_cs()),&flag_display_token_list[scan_index][even_odd]);
            co('7');
        }
    }
}

/*----- get a byte for rhex -----*/
char get_byte()
{
    char cc,d;
    cc = ci() - '0';
    if (cc > 9) cc -= 7;
    d = ci() - '0';
    if (d > 9) d -= 7;
    cc = cc << 4 | d;
}

```

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```
sum += cc;
return (d);
}

/*----- get a word for rhex -----*/
unsigned get_word()
{
    return ((get_byte() << 8) | get_byte());
}

unsigned isdelim(char c) /* returns true or false */
{
    int q=0;
    char cc;
    /* write_string("\n\rIsdelim "); lbyte(c);co(' ')*/
    for (;(cc = peekb(bios_cs(),&delim_list[q++])) != 0)
    {
        /* lbyte(cc);co(' ')*/
        if (cc == (c & 0xff)) return(true);
    };
    return(false);
}

unsigned get_token()
{
    // this gets the next token from the line input buffer and puts it into the token buffer
    // It uses the buffer_index and advances until end of data.
    // It returns true if a token was found and false if no token found

    if ((buffer[buffer_index] == 0) || (buffer[buffer_index] == cr)) return(false);
    /* move from buffer to token buffer */
    for (token_index=0; (isdelim(buffer[buffer_index]) == false) && (buffer[buffer_index] != 0) ;
    token_buffer[token_index++]=buffer[buffer_index+1]);
    token_buffer[token_index] = 0;
    /* put in end of string marker */
    last_delim = buffer[buffer_index];
    buffer_index++; /* advance buffer index over delimiter */
    return(true);
}

/*.....*/

void syntax_error(void)
{
    write_string("\n\rSyntax Error");
}

// Get Line Input is the normal input function. It always terminates on a cr OR on the char
// specified on the callers arg. If the caller wants only a CR termination, then he calls with CR
// as the arg.

void get_line_input(term) /*---- get the input line ----*/
{
    buffer_index = 0;
    do
    {
        if((inchar = ci()) == bspace)
        {
            if (buffer_index != 0)
            {
                buffer_index--;
                co(bspace);
                co(' ');
                co(bspace);
                buffer[buffer_index] = 0;
            }
        }
        else /* not a backspace */
        {
            /* lower to upper case */
            if (((inchar >= 'a') && (inchar <= 'z')) inchar ^= 0x20;
            co(inchar); /* echo character */
            if((inchar != term) && (inchar != cr))
            /* if a regular character */
            {
                buffer[buffer_index] = inchar;
                buffer_index++;
            }
            else /* a cr or a term char */
            {
                buffer[buffer_index] = 0;
                buffer[buffer_index+1] = 0;
                if (inchar == cr) co(lf);
            }
        }
    }
}
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        }
    }
    while ((inchar != term) && (inchar != cr));
    buffer_index = 0;
}

/*--- get the value specified by this token ---*/

unsigned get_token_value()
{
    char cc;
    unsigned token_value;
    token_value = 0; /* pre-clear token value cell */
    token_index = 0;
    token_number = get_token_number(&register_token_list);
    if (token_number == 0) /* it is a value, not a Token */
    {
        /* determine value */
        token_index = 0;
        while (token_buffer[token_index] != 0)
        {
            cc = token_buffer[token_index];
            if (ishex(cc) == true)
            {
                if (isalpha(cc) == true) cc += 9;
                cc &= 0x0f; /* now it is a nibble */
                /* merge it into token */
                token_value = (token_value << 4) | cc;
            }
            token_index++;
        }
        return(token_value);
    }
    else
        // if there is a token #, then get the value of that token
    {
        return(reg_saves[token_number-1]);
    }
}

/*-----*/
// search the specified token list against the token buffer and return the token number if a find -
// no find - return token_number = 0

unsigned get_token_number(unsigned *token_list_ptr)
{
    unsigned token_index, list_index=0, token_number=1;
    /* points to current string being checked */
    unsigned list_item;
    unsigned item_index=0;

    while
((list_item = peek(bios_cs(), &token_list_ptr[list_index++])) != -1)
    {
        for (token_index = 0, item_index = 0;
((token_buffer[token_index] != 0) && (peekb(bios_cs(), list_item+item_index) != 0) &&
(token_buffer[token_index] == peekb(bios_cs(), list_item+item_index)));
/* co(peekb(bios_cs()),list_item+list_index)); */
token_index++, item_index++);
        // If they are both at the end of string, then they matched.

        if ((token_buffer[token_index] == 0) && (peekb(bios_cs(), list_item+item_index) == 0))
        {
            /*
            **      write_string("\n\rToken is "); lword(token_number);
            */
            return(token_number);
        }
        /* count the tokens */
        token_number++;
        /*
        **      write_string("\n\rToken # ");
        **      lword(token_number);
        **      write_string("\n\rList index ");
        **      lword(list_index);
        **      write_string("\n\rList pointer ");
        **      lword(list_item);
        */
    }

    /* co(peekb(bios_cs()),list_item+list_index));
    */
    return(0);
}

```

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>
/*-----*/
/* The sysbreak routine is invoked by the CTRL-BREAK or CTRL-C keys and sets the break flag.
** This is checked by the CSTS routine to see if an operation should be aborted. It is linked
** upon entry to SysVue and de-linked upon exit.
*/
void interrupt cdecl far sysbreak(interrupt_registers)
{
    cstods(); // do this because it is assumed that cs = ds
    setds_system_segment();
    /* all variables will be referenced in sys seg */
    break_flag = 1;
}

/* This function evaluates the arguments on the command line and gets the values associated with
** the args and places their values into the token_value array.
** The values are arranged:
** seg:off - seg:off - seg:off - seg:off
** The corresponding present_bit is set in the 'present' char to indicate if a an arg was
** present for that value.
*/
get_values()
{
    unsigned i; /* i is a local variable used for the index */
    /* clear the token value array */
    for (i=0; i< 8; token_value[i++] = 0); present = 0; i = 0;
    /* write_string("\n\REntering get_values ");
    */
    do
    {
        if(get_token() == true) /* there is a token - */
        {
            token_value[i+1] = get_token_value();
            present |= (0x80 >> (i+1));
            if ((last_delim == ':') || (last_delim == '/'))
                /* the token is a register token */
            {
                token_value[i] = token_value[i+1];
                present |= (0x80 >> i);
                present &= ~(0x80 >> (i+1));
                token_value[i+1] = 0;
                if(get_token() == true) /* there is a token - */
                {
                    token_value[i+1] = get_token_value();
                    present |= (0x80 >> (i+1));
                }
            }
        }
        i += 2;
    }
    while (i < 8);
    /*
    **write_string("\n\rExiting get_values");
    */
}
/* Value_present looks at the present bit for token_values 0-7 and returns a true if the bit is
** set, indicating a value was entered
*/
unsigned value_present(index)
{
    if (((present << index) & 0x80) != 0) return(true);
    return(false);
}
```

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## **SECTION F**

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### **Odds and Ends**

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This section includes tips on loading a Test Bios into Static Ram by using Debug Batch files, and other assorted subjects.



## O N E

### **Loading Bios Test Ram**

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The following example shows how a Static Ram Adapter card installed in a target system can be loaded with the Bios image to test the Bios without programming Eproms. This example assumes the target machine has 64 Kbytes of static Ram at segment D000. Note that the Adapter uses static rather than dynamic Ram and that the Ram is located in the high memory map area, rather than in the System Ram area (0 - 640 K). The low Ram area is cleared when a Bios starts, so the Bios image must be outside the 0-640 K range. Dynamic Ram Refresh is re-initialized during the Bios Power-up, so Static Ram is required for the Test-Bios to remain intact.

Create a file named **loadat.inp** file (as shown below) to provide input to the debug program. It will be used to automate the copying of the Bios image from the DOS transient area to the static Ram location. Note that the transfer is done in 4000 byte portions, as the debug program treats the length argument (**4000**) as a signed integer. A value of **8000** would be unreliable. Following the copying commands, a Go command starts executing the Bios at its **reset** label. By inspecting the Bios.map file, the offset for the label **reset** may be verified.

```

nbios.bin
l
m cs:0000 l 4000 d000:0000
m cs:4000 l 4000 d000:4000
m cs:8000 l 4000 d000:8000
m cs:c000 l 4000 d000:c000
g=d000:e05b

```

To perform this loading procedure, enter **debug <loadat.inp**

Next, to avoid typing the full command **debug <loadat.inp** every time you want to load the Ram, create a file such as **load.bat** which contains the one line as shown below:

```
debug <loadat.inp
```

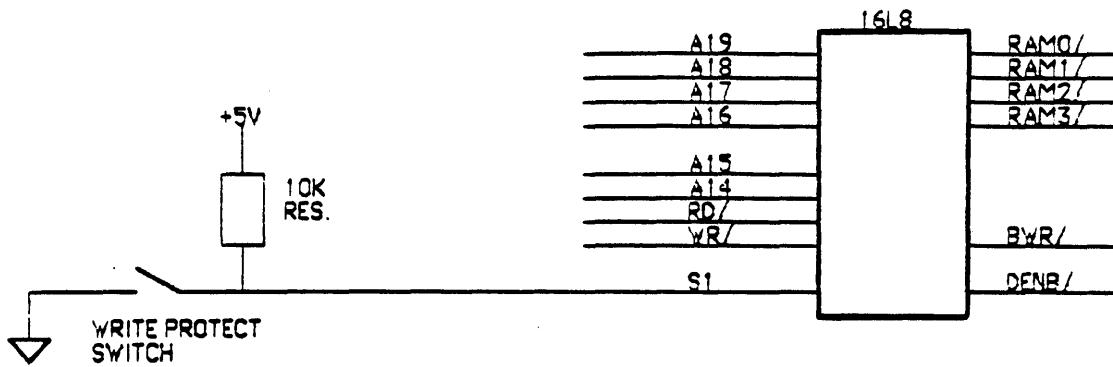
Now all that is required to perform the complete copy, load, and go procedure is to enter **load** and allow the batch file to invoke the process.

A sample schematic is included for a static ram adapter which you may wish to use as a design guideline in case you decide to construct your own adapter. This schematic shows the general philosophy you can use in your design. Fosco and Annabooks have not constructed an adapter from this schematic, but have used the same design approach in the past. The functions shown in the programmable logic device (16L8) can be duplicated with discrete logic, but a PAL approach is the

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simplest. PAL's are a specific family of programmable devices by MMI, and PAL is a registered trademark of MMI. An adapter of this type will also accommodate the Dallas Semiconductor battery backed ram modules, so a non-volatile ram board can be configured.

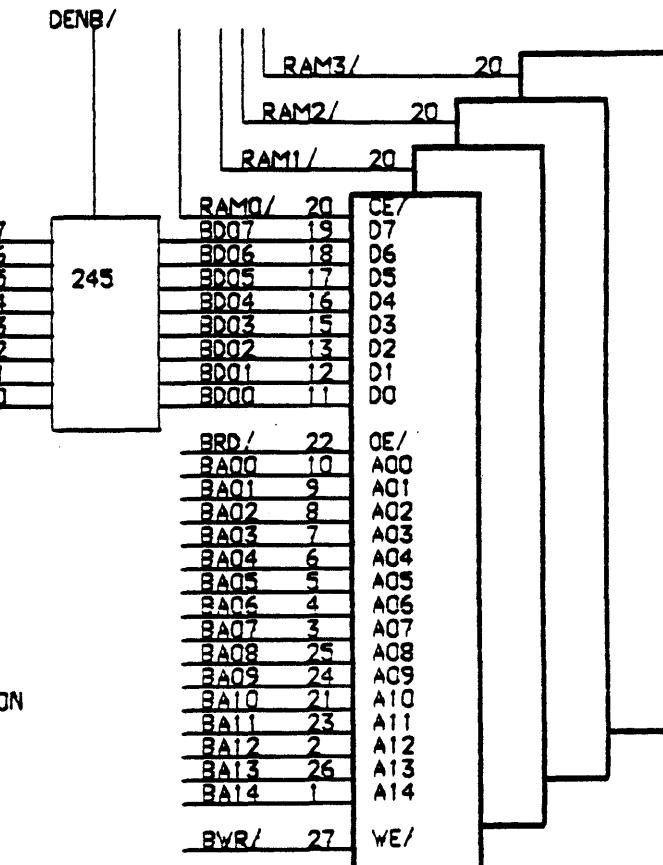


#### EQUATIONS

$BWR/ = WR/ * S1/$   
 $RAM0/ = A19/ * A18/ * X * Y * A15/ * A14/$   
 $RAM1/ = A19/ * A18/ * X * Y * A15/ * A14$   
 $RAM2/ = A19/ * A18/ * X * Y * A15 * A14/$   
 $RAM3/ = A19/ * A18/ * X * Y * A15 * A14$   
 $DENB/ = RD/ * RAM0/$   
 $+ RD/ * RAM1/$   
 $+ RD/ * RAM2/$   
 $+ RD/ * RAM3/$

#### WRITE PROTECT RAM SELECTS

#### DATA ENABLE FOR DATA BUFFER



#### NOTES.

##### FOR SEGMENT D000:

X = A17/  
Y = A16

##### FOR SEGMENT E000:

X = A17  
Y = A16/

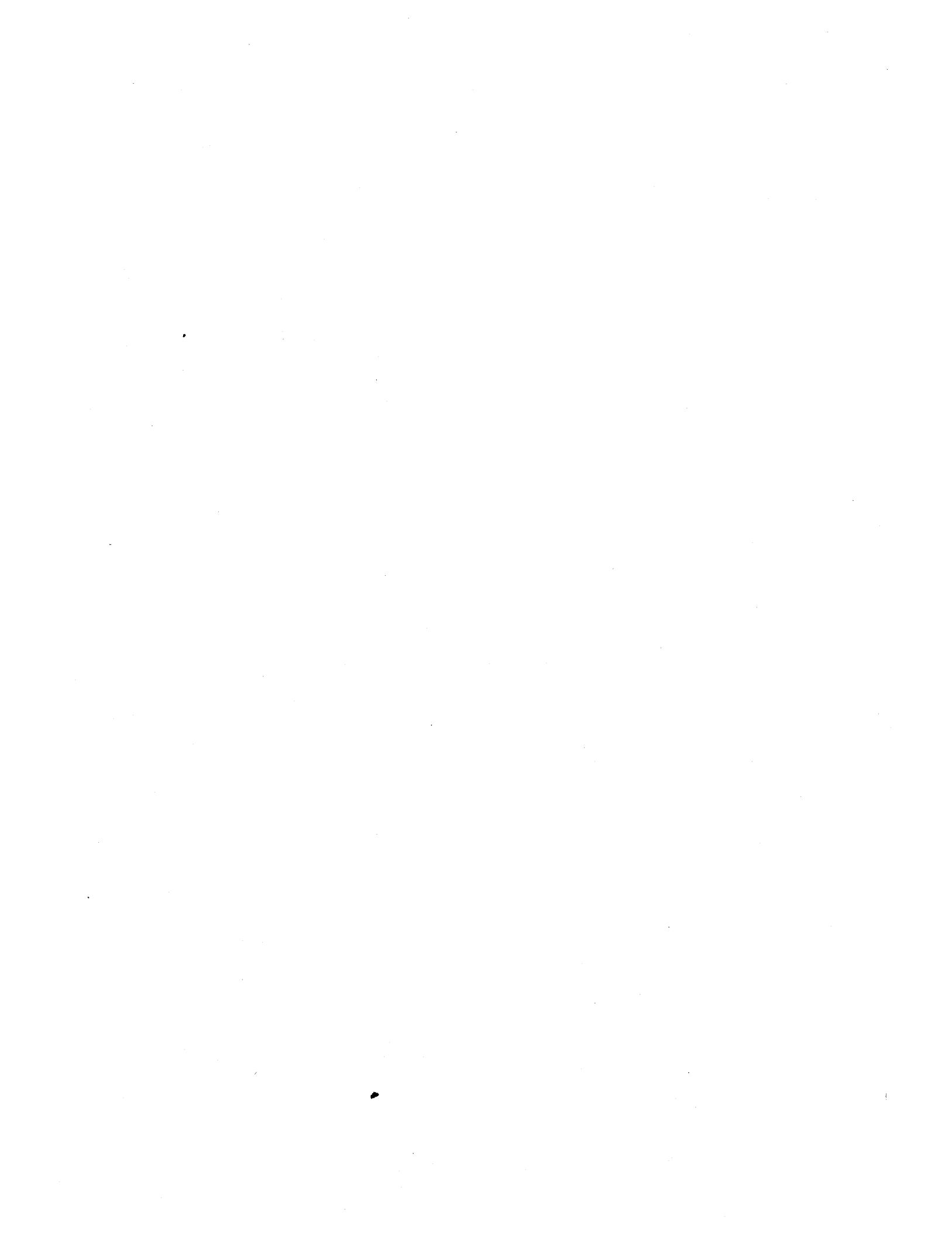
28-PIN SOCKETS WILL ACCEPT  
62256 RAM's  
DALLAS 1235 RAM's

DATA LINES SHOULD BE BUFFERED THROUGH  
A 245 IN ORDER TO DRIVE THE BUS.

ADDRESS LINE BUFFERING IS OPTIONAL

DECODER IS MMI 16L8 PAL.

THIS SCHEMATIC IS FOR EXAMPLE ONLY.  
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## T W O

### The Indent Program

The Indent program is used to indent the lines of a source file according to the nesting of the left and right bracket characters ({ and }) to ease the readability of the code. Some editors have built-in features to do this automatically for you, so this Indent program may not be needed. If you are using an ordinary editor, you will find this program useful.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Indent
* Version: 1.01
* Author:FOSCO
* Date: 10-10-89
* Filename: Indent.c
* Functional Description:
* This program is a utility which is used to indent C source code lines according to the nesting
* level of the left and right bracket characters ( { } ). It improves readability of the source
* file, but does not affect the logic flow. It is useful when a general purpose editor is being
* used to prepare source files.
* Arguments:
* File name
* Return:
* Version History:
* 1.01
* Updated under QuickC 2 for convenience.
* General clean-up and simplification.
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
FILE *instream;
FILE *outstream;
unsigned int length,i,numread,numwritten, tab = 0;
#define blen 512
unsigned char instrng[blen],outstrng[blen],buffer[16384];
#define true -1
#define false 0
unsigned write_ok = true;
/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
#define tabchar 9
#define rt_brace 125
#define lf_brace 123
#define indent_level 1 /* # of columns to indent */
/* P R O G R A M */
/* indent c programs according to () characters */
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    printf("FOSCO/Annabooks Indent Source Utility V1.01\n\r");
    if (argc <2) { printf("Not enough arguments on command line\n"); exit(0); }
    if ((instream = fopen(argv[1],"r")) == NULL)
        printf("Could not open file for reading\n");
    else
        length = filelength(fileno(instream));
}
```

## F-2-2 The Indent Program

---

```
if (length == -1) printf("Bad Length on input file\n");
else
{
    if ((outstream = fopen("$id.$$$", "w")) == NULL)
        printf("Could not open file for writing\n");
    else
    {
        tab=0;
        while (fgets(instring,blen,instream) != 0)
        {
            // skip over leading spaces
            i=0; while (instring[i+1] == ' '); i--;
            // check for right brace here so we de-indent the current line
            if ((instring[i] == rt_brace) && (tab >= indent_level))
                tab -= indent_level;

            // pad front of output string with required # of spaces
            strnset(outstring,' ',tab);outstring[tab] = 0;

            // now copy instring[i] to outstring[tab]
            strcat(&outstring[tab],&instring[i]);

            // write to the temp file and mark any errors
            if(fputs(outstring,outstream) != 0) write_ok = false;
            // check for left braces here so we indent the following line
            if (instring[i] == lf_brace)
            {
                tab += indent_level;
                // check for closing brace on same line
                for( ; i<strlen(instring);i++)
                {
                    if ((instring[i] == rt_brace) && (tab >= indent_level))
                    {
                        tab -= indent_level;
                        break;
                    }
                }
            }
        }
        fclose(instream);
        fclose(outstream);

        if(!write_ok)
        {
            printf("\n\rError in writing temporary file, processing aborted.");
            printf("Original file %s remains unchanged.\n\r",argv[1]);
        }
    else
    {
        // now copy the $id$$$ to the original file
        if (((instream = fopen("$id.$$$", "r+b")) != NULL) &&
        ((outstream=fopen(argv[1],"w+b")) != NULL))
        {
            do
            {
                numread = fread((char *)buffer, sizeof(char),16384,instream);
                numwritten = fwrite((char *)buffer, sizeof(char),numread,outstream);
                if (numwritten != numread)
                {
                    printf("Transfer error on file %s. Use $ID$$$ as recovery file./n",argv[1]);
                    write_ok = false;
                }
            }
            while (numread > 0);
            fclose(instream);
            fclose(outstream);
            if(write_ok)
                if((numread = remove ("$id.$$$")) != 0)
                    printf("\n\rError deleting temp file $ID.$$$\n\r");
        }
    }
}
}
```

# T H R E E

## The Hilite Program

---

The Hilite program is used to display program comments in intensified video on the display. It scans the source file and looks for pairs of comment delimiters ( /\* and \*/ ), and intensifies the video between these marks. It is useful for detecting incorrect comment delimiter pairs, which may comment out wanted source code statements. When strange errors show up in the compilation of a 'slightly' edited program, comment delimiter errors may cause drastic errors. If a program compiles properly but program operation changes radically, a comment check with Hilite may help in determining the cause(s).

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Hilite
* Version: 1.00
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 1-1-89
* Filename: hilite.c
* Functional Description:
* This program is used to hilite the comments in a C source program as it is displayed on
* the screen.
*
* Arguments:
* File name
* Return:
*
* Version History:
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
/* L O C A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* P R O G R A M */
/* highlight c programs according to / * * / characters */

#include <stdio.h>
#include <dos.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#define cr 13
#define lf 10
#define space 32
#define on 1
#define off 0
#define star '*/'
#define slash 47
#define bspace 8;

FILE *instream;
unsigned int length;
unsigned int i;
unsigned char comment,ch,last_char;
unsigned char buffer[16384];
union REGS regs;

main(argc,argv)
int argc;
```

## F-3-2 The Hilite Program

---

```
char *argv[];  
{  
    if (argc <2)  
    {  
        printf("Not enough parameters on command line\n");  
        exit(0);  
    }  
    if ((instream = fopen(argv[1],"r+b")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for reading\n");  
    else  
    {  
        length = filelength(fileno(instream));  
        for (i=0; i<length && ((ch = getc(instream)) != EOF); i++)  
        {  
            if ((last_char == slash) && (ch == star))  
            {  
                comment = on; /* backspace and turn on last slash */  
  
                regs.h.ah = 0x0e;  
                regs.h.al = bspace;  
                regs.h.bh = 0;  
                int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
                regs.h.bl = 0x0f;  
  
                regs.h.ah = 0x09; /* write attribute at cursor */  
                regs.h.al = 0x20; /* display without highlight */  
                regs.h.bh = 0x00;  
                regs.x.cx = 0x0001;  
                int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
  
                regs.h.ah = 0x0e;  
                regs.h.al = slash;  
                regs.h.bh = 0;  
                int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
                regs.h.bl = 0x0f;  
            }  
  
            if (comment == on)  
            {  
                regs.h.bl = 0x0f;  
            }  
            else  
            {  
                regs.h.bl = 0x07;  
            }  
            regs.h.ah = 0x09; /* write attribute at cursor */  
            regs.h.al = 0x20; /* display without highlight */  
            regs.h.bh = 0x00;  
            regs.x.cx = 0x0001;  
            if (isprint(ch)) int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
  
            regs.h.ah = 0x0e; /* write tty */  
            regs.h.al = ch;  
            regs.h.bh = 0x00;  
            int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
            if ((last_char == star) && (ch == slash)) comment = off;  
            last_char = ch;  
        }  
        fclose(instream);  
    }  
}
```

# FOUR

## The Parens Program

The Parens program is used to display parenthesized text in intensified video on the display. It scans the source file and looks for parentheses characters and intensifies the video between these marks. It is useful for detecting incorrect parenthesizing.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Parens
*
* Version: 1.00
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 1-5-89
*
* Filename: parens.c
*
* Functional Description:
* This program is used to display parenthesized text on the screen in intensified video.
*
* Arguments:
* File name
*
* Return:
*
* Version History:
*
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
/* F U N C T I O N   P R O T O T Y P E S */
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
/* G L O B A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* L O C A L   D E F I N I T I O N S */
/* L O C A L   C O N S T A N T S */
/* P R O G R A M */
/* highlight c programs according to () characters */

#include <stdio.h>
#include <dos.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#define cr 13
#define lf 10
#define space 32
#define on 1
#define off 0
#define lparen 40
#define rparen 41

FILE *instream;
unsigned int length;
unsigned int i;
unsigned char ch,depth;
unsigned char buffer[16384];
union REGS regs;

main(argc,argv)
int argc;
char *argv[];
{
  if (argc <2)
  {
    printf("Not enough parameters on command line\n");
    exit(0);
  }
  if ((instream = fopen(argv[1],"r+b")) == NULL) printf("Could not open file for reading\n");
  else
}

```

## F-4-2 The Parens Program

---

```
{  
length = filelength(fileno(instream));  
depth = 0;  
for (i=0; i<length && ((ch = getc(instream)) != EOF); i++)  
{  
    if (ch == lparen) depth++;  
    if (depth != 0)  
    {  
        regs.h.bl = 0x0f;  
    }  
    else  
    {  
        regs.h.bl = 0x07;  
    }  
    regs.h.ah = 0x09; /* write attribute at cursor */  
    regs.h.al = 0x20; /* display without highlight */  
    regs.h.bh = 0x00;  
    regs.x.cx = 0x0001;  
    if (isprint(ch)) int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
  
    regs.h.ah = 0x0e; /* write tty */  
    regs.h.al = ch;  
    regs.h.bh = 0x00;  
    int86(0x10,&regs,&regs);  
  
    if (ch == rparen) depth--;  
}  
fclose(instream);  
}  
}
```

## F I V E

**The Bin2Hex Filter**

The Bin2Hex filter is used to convert a binary image file into Intel Hexadecimal Format. This is a common format used by many prom programmers such as Data I/O, etc. Since this is a filter, the output may be directed to a file, an output port, or the screen.

```
*****
Copyright (c) FOSCO 1988, 1989 - All Rights Reserved

Module Name: Binary to Intel hexadecimal filter
Version: 1.00
Author: FOSCO
Date: 1-5-89
Filename: bin2hex.asm

; Functional Description:
This program converts the contents of a file to Intel hexadecimal format. Since many Prom
Programmers will accept an Intel Hex download format, .BIN files may be converted.
Filter outputs can be directed as shown in the examples below.

; Arguments:
bin2hex <infile.bin>outfile.hex
bin2hex <infile.bin>COM1
bin2hex <infile.bin>CON

; Return:
; Version History:
1-5-89 - font revision
; *****
; P R O G R A M
.model compact
stack segment word stack 'stack'
stack ends
stdin equ 0
stdout equ 1
.data
ibuff db 16 dup(0)
obuff db 32 dup(0)
line_count dw 0
char_count db 0
checksum db 0
ochar db 0
eof db 13,10,'00000001FF'
.code
assume cs:_text,ds:_data
bin2hex proc
    mov ax,_data
    mov ds,ax
    mov line_count,0
$$DO1:
    mov bx,stdin ; get stdin
    mov cx,16
    mov dx,offset ibuff
    mov ah,3fh
    int 21h
    JC $$EN1
```

## F-5-2 The Bin2hex Filter

---

```
        or      ax,ax          ; done
JZ $$EN1
    mov     char_count,al
    call    write_line
    JMP SHORT $$D01
$$EN1:
    call    write_eof       ; write eof
    mov     ax,4C00h
    int    21h              ; return to dos
bin2hex endp

write_line proc
    mov     checksum,0
    mov     cl,char_count
    xor     ch,ch
    mov     al,13             ; carriage return
    call   putc
    mov     al,10             ; line feed
    call   putc
    mov     al,":"
    call   putc
    mov     al,char_count
    sub    checksum,al
    call   convert
    mov     ax,line_count
    mov     al,ah
    sub    checksum,al
    call   convert
    mov     ax,line_count
    sub    checksum,al
    call   convert
    mov     al,00
    sub    checksum,al
    call   convert
    add    line_count,16
    mov     si,offset ibuff
$$D05:
    lodsb
    sub    checksum,al
    call   convert
LOOP $$D05
    mov     al,checksum
    call   convert
    ret
write_line endp

convert proc
    push   ax
    push   ax
    shr    al,1
    shr    al,1
    shr    al,1
    shr    al,1
    and   al,0fh
    add    al,'0'
    cmp    al,'9'
    JNA $$IF7
    add    al,7
$$IF7:
    call   putc
    pop    ax
    and   al,0fh
    add    al,'0'
    cmp    al,'9'
    JNA $$IF9
    add    al,7
$$IF9:
    call   putc
    pop    ax
    ret
convert endp

putc  proc
    push   ax
    push   bx
    push   cx
    push   dx
    mov    ochar,al
    mov    bx,stdout
    mov    cx,1
    mov    dx,offset ochar
    mov    ah,40h
    int    21h
    pop    dx
    pop    cx
    pop    bx
```

```
    pop      ax
    ret
putc    endp

write_eof proc
    push     ax
    push     bx
    push     cx
    push     dx
    mov      bx,stdout
    mov      cx,13
    mov      dx,offset eof
    mov      ah,40h
    int      21h
    pop      dx
    pop      cx
    pop      bx
    pop      ax
    ret
write_eof endp

end      bin2hex
```



## SIX

**The Splitbin Program**

The Splitbin Program is used to Split the at.bin file into an at.evn and at.odd file for programming the two Proms normally needed for an AT Bios.

Some of the newer Chipsets used in AT clones may allow you to use a 64k x 8 prom for the complete Bios. These Chipsets are based on the idea that the Bios would be moved to Shadow Ram which usually operates with fewer wait states than Prom, allowing higher performance operation. This may provide you with a design advantage if you are designing your own CPU board. Check with the VLSI chipset vendor for more information on this possible feature, and what additional software that might be required. If your AT motherboard has this feature, then the Splitbin won't be needed.

The Splitbin command line argument is the filename without the extension ("at" not "at.bin"). Splitbin adds the ".bin" to the input filename argument and the ".evn" and ".odd" extensions to the output files.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1989 - All Rights Reserved
*
* Module Name: Bin file splitter to even/odd
*
* Version: 1.00
*
* Author: FOSCO
*
* Date: 10-1-89
*
* Filename: Splitbin.c
*
* Language: MS C 5.1
*
* Functional Description:
* This program reads the .bin file specified by the argument,
* and splits it into an .evn and a .odd file.
*
* Version History:
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>

/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */

#define bLEN 8192
FILE *instream,*evenstream,*oddstream;
unsigned char inbuffer[2*bLEN], evenbuffer[bLEN], oddbuffer[bLEN];
unsigned char innname[16], oddname[16],evenname[16];
unsigned numread,i,j;

/* P R O G R A M */
unsigned main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
printf("\n\rFOSCO/Annabooks Split xx.bin to xx.evn and xx.odd files Utility\n\r");
if(argc == 2)
{
strcpy(inname,argv[1]); strcat(inname,".bin");
strcpy(evenname,argv[1]); strcat(evenname,".evn");
strcpy(oddname,argv[1]); strcat(oddname,".odd");
if((instream = fopen(inname,"rb")) != NULL)
```

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---

```
if((evenstream = fopen(evenname,"wb")) != NULL)
if((oddstream = fopen(oddname,"wb")) != NULL)
{
    while(
        (numread = fread((char *)inbuffer,sizeof(char),2*blen,instream))
        != NULL)

    {
        for(i=0,j=0; j < numread; i++,j+=2)
        {
            evenbuffer[i] = inbuffer[j];
            oddbuffer[i] = inbuffer[j+1];
        }
        fwrite((char *)evenbuffer,sizeof(char),numread/2,evenstream);
        fwrite((char *)oddbuffer,sizeof(char),numread/2,oddstream);
    }
}
else
{
    printf("No .bin file specified in command line\n\r");
}
return(0);
}
```

## S E V E N

**The Mergebin Program**

The Mergebin Program is the companion to the Splitbin Program and may be used to combine ".evn" and ".odd" files to a ".bin" file. The command line argument is the filename (without extension). Mergebin looks for the ".evn" and ".odd" files and creates a ".bin" file. Mergebin is handy if you want to read existing Bios proms and create a complete image, as well as providing a means to verify the even/odd conversion process (Splitbin) by merging a split and comparing results.

```
*****
* Copyright (c) FOSCO 1989 - All Rights Reserved
* Module Name: Merge evn/odd files to a bin file
* Version: 1.00
* Author: FOSCO
* Date: 10-1-89
* Filename: Mergebin.c
* Language: MS C 5.1
* Functional Description:
* This program merges the .evn and .odd file into a combined .bin file.
* Version History:
*****
/* I N C L U D E   F I L E S */
#include <stdio.h>
/* G L O B A L   V A R I A B L E S */
#define blen 8192
FILE *outstream,*evenstream,*oddstream;
unsigned char outbuffer[2*blen], evenbuffer[blen], oddbuffer[blen];
unsigned char outname[16], oddname[16],evenname[16];
unsigned numread,i,j;
/* P R O G R A M */
unsigned main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
printf("\n\rFOSCO/Annabooks Merge xx.evn and xx.odd to xx.bin files Utility\n\r");
if(argc == 2)
{
strcpy(outname,argv[1]); strcat(outname,".bin");
strcpy(evenname,argv[1]); strcat(evenname,".evn");
strcpy(oddname,argv[1]); strcat(oddname,".odd");
if(outstream = fopen(outname,"wb")) != NULL)
if(evenstream = fopen(evenname,"rb")) != NULL)
if(oddstream = fopen(oddname,"rb")) != NULL)
{
while(
((numread = fread((char *)evenbuffer,sizeof(char),blen,evenstream)) != NULL) &&
((numread = fread((char *)oddbuffer,sizeof(char),blen,oddstream)) != NULL))
{
for(i=0,j=0; i < numread; i+=2,j+=2)
{
outbuffer[j] = evenbuffer[i];
outbuffer[j+1] = oddbuffer[i];
}
fwrite((char *)outbuffer,sizeof(char),numread*2,outstream);
}
}
}
}
```

## F-7-2 The Mergebin Program

---

```
else
{
    printf("No .bin file specified in command line\n\r");
}
return(0);
}
```

The code is  
approximately:  
main()  
{  
 char \*file;  
 char \*out;  
 FILE \*in;  
 FILE \*out;  
 int i;  
 if (argc < 2)  
 {  
 printf("Usage: mergebin [inputfile] [outputfile]\n");  
 exit(1);  
 }  
 in = fopen(argv[1], "rb");  
 if (!in)  
 {  
 perror(argv[1]);  
 exit(1);  
 }  
 out = fopen(argv[2], "wb");  
 if (!out)  
 {  
 perror(argv[2]);  
 exit(1);  
 }  
 for (i = 0; i < 1000000; i++)  
 {  
 /\* read a byte from the input file \*/  
 /\* write it to the output file \*/  
 }  
 fclose(in);  
 fclose(out);  
}

After running the program, the output file is:  
Mergebin 1.0  
Copyright (c) 1992 by Microsoft Corp.  
Mergebin Version 1.0  
Copyright (c) 1992 by Microsoft Corp.  
Mergebin Version 1.0  
Copyright (c) 1992 by Microsoft Corp.

100% complete

100% complete

## E I G H T

### **The Patch.asm File**

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If you have a problem with the initial installation of the generic version of the AT BiosKit, this chapter may be of interest to you. Normally the generic Bios image "at.bin" that is supplied on the distribution diskette will run on almost all AT system boards, so that is where most readers start. If you are planning to make modifications of the BiosKit, read this chapter anyway, as it will give you some ideas on how to speed up checkout (also refer to the Chapter on "Loading Static Ram") by eliminating the Prom Erase/Program cycle for your Bios Under Test. The contents of the patch.asm program are a normal feature of the BiosKit, so the material in this Chapter may help you to appreciate the BiosKit methodology.

This patch procedure may be useful to you if you are modifying the standard AT Bioskit to you particular hardware configuration and you have access to a previously configured Bios from another source. Its purpose is to provide a method to sense the existence of a "test" copy of Bios in Ram, and transfer control to the "test" copy. This patch will permit control to the transferred before any significant checks or initialization is done by the other Bios.

This patch program was created during the early days of testing the AT Bios in static ram. We were using a system with "another" Bios chip, and loading and running the development Bios in Ram as described in Chapter F-1. The typical AT Bios has the restart routines locked into the segment at F000, because they do not check for rom-scan or secondary Bios until well into the Bios. In order to wrest control away from the primary Bios residing at segment F000 immediately upon a hardware reset signal, it was necessary to intercept the control flow at the very beginning of the code. To provide for this, the patch sequence in this file was created. It is intended to be loaded into a modified "other" Bios.

The typical Bios will have a reset control flow similar to the example shown below:

F000:FFF0 Jmp Far F000:E05B

F000:E05B Jmp Near - reset\_code

F000:reset_code CLI	; disable interrupts		
mov     al,8F	;	disable NMI's	
Out     70,al	;	write to CMOS	
xxx	;	and so on	
xxx			

The patch is intended to be patched in between the jump at F000:E05B and the reset\_code, so it looks like the example shown below:

F000:FFF0 Jmp Far F000:E05B

F000:E05B Jmp Near - patch

F000:patch	...	;	patch program in this file
	...	;	checks for test Bios and

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```
... ; transfers control if valid  
...  
jmp reset_code  
  
F000:reset_code CLI  
    mov al,8F ; disable interrupts  
    Out 70,al ; disable NMI's  
    xxx ; write to CMOS  
    xxx ; and so on
```

To install the patch, make a binary image copy of the "other" Bios using Debug. This can be done by the following sequence:

```
Debug <enter> (call up debug)  
nother.bin <enter> (name the file to be created)  
rcs <enter> (examine the CS register)  
xxxx (displays current value)  
rcs xxxy <enter> (xxxy = xxxx + 10)  
m f000:0000 l 4000 cs:0000 <enter>  
m f000:4000 l 4000 cs:4000 <enter>  
m f000:8000 l 4000 cs:8000 <enter>  
m f000:c000 l 4000 cs:c000 <enter>  
rbx 1 <enter> (this copies the bios to ram)  
rcx 0 <enter> (this sets the length of the file)  
w cs:0 <enter> (this writes the file on disk)  
q <enter> (this exits debug)
```

Now that you have an image of the "other" bios on disk, you may reload it (using Debug), and find an unused area large enough to accommodate the patch program. When a space has been found, the patch program may be inserted by using the "asm" command and loading the code. Replace the old jump at E05B with a jump to the patch, and use that original destination for the jump out of the patch.

After carefully checking that the patch is entered and linked correctly, use the "w" command to rewrite the file to disk.

The modified file will need its checksum corrected. The Biossum program may be used to calculate a new checksum. First though, you need to check the size of the bios. Remember, we wrote a full 64k file for the binary file. Reload it using debug and determine where code starts. If it is a typical assembly language version Bios, the code will start at location 8000. Fill the area from 0000 to 7FFF with "FF" using the debug "fill" command. The Biossum program will skip over "ff" bytes, until it finds a non-"ff" byte and assume that checksumming should then begin. After you have performed this fill (if required), then calculate a new checksum with the following command:

```
Biossum other.bin <enter>
```

Finally, if two proms are required (even and odd bytes), run "Evenodd other" to produce the two binary images required. Program a set of modified proms (we

strongly recommend you retain the original unaltered proms) and install and test them in your machine.

This modified bios will then adhere to the standard Annabooks conventions for secondary and test Bios', and you may proceed with developing and testing your personalized version of the AT BiosKit.

The patch file below is intended to provide you with a guide to creating the patching code you will need, not necessarily an executable .EXE file. By assembling file with a "MASM patch,,; <enter>" command, the listing file generated will illustrate the object code required. The actual patching is most easily done by using the `asm` command in the DOS Debug as described above. Therefore this module is provided for reference only.

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*****
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Module Name: Patch for "other" bios' for system checkout
Version: 1.00
Author: FOSCO
Date: 12-01-88
Filename: patch.asm
Language MS MASM 5.1

Functional Description:
This patch is intended to be patched into a non
Annabooks Bios to allow the secondary bios feature to
be used. The Annabooks Bios under development may then
be loaded into and executed from High-Ram in the D000
segment. The order of priority for selection
is:
1. D000 segment - test (usually Ram, may be Prom)
2. F000 segment - primary (Prom)

Version History:
*****
.model small
.code

----- check for bios' patched in -----
If we find a Bios patch (by checking its signature),
then we go to it.

; patch a jump at F000:E058 to jump to "patch"

patch:
    mov     ax,0d000h ; check seg d000
    mov     ds,ax
    xor     si,si      ; check for bios signature
    cmp     word ptr ds:[si],05b1h
    jne     check2    ; jumps if bad signature
                    ; then check for length count
    cmp     byte ptr ds:[si+2],80h
    jne     check2    ; jump if bad length count
    xor     cx,cx      ; set 64k count
    xor     al,al      ; clear checksum register
check1:
    add     al,ds:[si] ; build checksum for 64K bytes
    inc     si
loop:
    check1
    or     al,al      ; zero = good
    check2    ; jumps if bad checksum
    db     0eah        ; jump to bios at d000
    dw     0ffffh
    dw     0d000h
```

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check2:  
    jmp      1234h      ; jump to E058's original destination  
                           ; you must determine this location!  
    end
```